

WOMAN SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT IS PASSED BY HOUSE

Constitutional Amendment Wins With Required Number of Affirmative Votes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Woman suffrage by federal constitutional amendment won in the house tonight with exactly the required number of affirmative votes.

While members in their seats and throngs in the galleries waited with eager interest the house adopted by a vote of 274 to 136 a resolution providing for submission to the states of the so-called Susan B. Anthony amendment for national enfranchisement of women.

But for the promise of Speaker Clark to cast his vote from the chair for the resolution if it was needed the change of a single vote to the opposition would have meant defeat.

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Begin Fight for Action.

The house hardly had adjourned before the suffrage champions began their fight for favorable action on the resolution. It was needed for the change of a single vote to the opposition would have meant defeat.

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Recapitulation Demanded.

When the first roll call was finished unofficial counts put the result in doubt and before the speaker could make an announcement there was a demand for a recapitulation. Then the name of each member and the way he was recorded was read.

Announcement of the vote was greeted with applause and cheering. Women in the galleries literally fell upon each others neck, kissing and embracing and shouting "glory, glory, hal-le-lu!"

The Resolution.

The resolution as adopted follows:

"Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States extending the right of suffrage to women. Resolved by the senate and house, etc., two thirds of each house concurring therein, that the following article be proposed to the legislature of the several states as an amendment to the constitution of the United States which when ratified by three fourths of said legislatures shall be valid as part of said constitution namely:

Article I.—The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex.

Section 2.—Congress shall have power, by appropriate legislation to enforce the provisions of this article.

Attempts to Amend Defeated.

Every attempt made to amend this language was beaten. Representative Gard of Ohio tried unsuccessfully to have on its limitation carried by the resolution for prohibition constitutional amendment, that it must be ratified by the states within seven years from the date of its submission. Representative Moore of Indiana sought to have a referendum or special convention in each state required. The Gard amendment was rejected 159 to 246, and the Moore amendment 131 to 272.

Challenges Dominick's Vote.

When the final vote came on the resolution Representative Austin of Tennessee challenged the vote of Representative Dominick of South Carolina, who appeared late in the roll call and said he had not heard his name called. Mr. Dominick told the speaker he was in the hall and listening and did not hear his name called. His vote was then recorded.

How They Voted

FOR THE RESOLUTION

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STATEMENT OF PAY OF THE ARMY AND NAVY

Government Issues Second of Series of Statements

Total Pay of U. S. Army During Last Month Totaled \$78,580,800—Does not Include Family Allowances or Compensation for Disability of Soldiers Provided for in Insurance Act.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The total pay of the United States army in December was approximately \$78,580,800, the committee on public information announced today in the second of its series of statements on the pay of the army and navy and the operation of the war risk insurance bureau. This is at the rate of nearly \$1,000,000,000 a year.

The total does not include family allowances or compensation for disability of soldiers provided for in the insurance act and paid thru the war risk bureau.

"The intricate task of paying the officers and men of the army, made more difficult by the wide expansion of the post office months is being satisfactorily accomplished," said the committee's statement. "To prevent failure to meet the monthly compensation of every man in the service no matter where he may be located, liberal sums are furnished the various disbursing quartermasters in order promptly to meet the army pay rolls with their extra-ordinary demands for funds."

Men serving in France are paid in French currency or by United States checks as they may elect and all soldiers are paid at the end of each month, or as soon thereafter as possible.

The base pay of enlisted men ranges from the \$20 a month received by a private on entering the service to the \$81 per month received by senior grade quartermaster sergeants of the quartermaster corps, band leaders, master electricians, master engineers of the senior grade and master hospital sergeants.

Service pay for enlisted men, including non-commissioned officers, ranging from \$3 to \$24 a month, is allowed for continuous enlistments and in the coast artillery extra pay ranging from \$2 to \$9 a month is allowed men when on special assignments. Enlisted men in the signal corps, while on duty which requires them to participate regularly in airplane flights, if they have the rating of aviation mechanics receive 50 per cent in their monthly pay.

Enlisted men if serving in a foreign country receive 20 per cent increase in pay computed on the base pay and service pay prevailing prior to June 1, 1917, when an act of congress increased for the period of the war the pay of all enlisted men in amounts ranging from 8 per cent to 10 per cent. Enlisted men on detached duty where no army quarters are available are allowed \$15 per month to cover housing expenses and also suitable allowance for subsistence and for heat and light.

Officers' pay ranges from the \$141.67 initial pay received by second lieutenant each month to the \$10,000 each year for a general.

Officers of the rank up to and including colonel receive an increase of ten per cent known as longevity pay for each period of five years service, provided that such increase shall not exceed forty per cent.

Brigadier Generals, Major Generals, Lieutenant Generals and Generals received no increase for continuous service but all officers while on foreign service receive an increase of ten per cent in the base pay and longevity pay.

All officers are entitled to be furnished public quarters with fuel and light but if these cannot be provided the officers receive quarters allowance ranging from \$24 for a second lieutenant to \$132 for a general, exclusive of allowances for heat and light.

Aviation officers of the signal corps or attached to that corps while on duty which requires them to participate regularly in aerial flights, are entitled to an increase in the pay of their grade ranging from 25 per cent for aviation officers to 75 per cent for military aviators.

For deeds of valor recognized by acts of congress officers and enlisted men receive certificates of merit entitling them to an additional compensation of \$ per month.

Both officers and enlisted men are retired at 75 per cent of the pay of the grade held at the time of retirement, enlisted men being entitled to retirement after thirty years service and they receive besides the pay \$15.75 a month additional in lieu of allowances.

Officers are retired when they reach the age of sixty four.

TWO NEWSPAPER PLANTS DESTROYED

LA SALLE, Ill., Jan. 10.—Fire of unknown origin here today destroyed the Music Hall building housing the Tribune and Midlander newspapers plants and four merchant establishments, entailing a loss estimated at \$160,000. Firemen assisted by the Peru department succeeded in getting the flames under control early this afternoon after a battle of five hours. One fireman was overcome by smoke.

SOLDIER DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS

Camp Dodge, Ia., Jan. 10.—Private F. J. Davis, 27 years old, died Monday. He was a member of Company B, 352nd Infantry regiment, died last night from tuberculosis, according to a report today from the base hospital. Private Davis was drafted from Duluth, Minn.

Private Melvin Hill, Jr., Fayre, Ala., member of the 366th Infantry regiment, died last night from lung trouble.

Secretary Baker Replies to Criticism of Department's Conduct of the War

"No Army of Similar Size in the History of the World Has Ever Been Raised, Equipped and Trained So Quickly. No Such Provision Has Ever Been Made for the Comfort, Health and General Well Being of An Army."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Secretary Baker today replied to criticisms of his department's conduct of the war, in a long and exhaustive prepared statement presented to the senate military committee.

Conceding delays and errors of judgment in so vast an undertaking, Secretary Baker epitomized his reply in these words:

"No army of similar size in the history of the world has ever been raised, equipped or trained so quickly. No such provision has ever been made for the comfort, health and general well being of an army."

"An Army of 'Substantial' Size

"America has now in France an army of 'substantial' size ready for active service," Secretary Baker said. Officers and men, he explained in a statement of the mobilization accomplishments, have been trained specially for modern warfare, independent lines of communication and supply are in process of construction, and great programs have been formulated for the production of new instruments of war.

Arms of the most modern and effective kind, the secretary declared, have been provided for every soldier in France and are available for every fighting man who can be sent to France in 1918.

An army of nearly a million and a half men, enlisted and selected without serious dislocation of the nation's industries, is now in the field or in training at home and abroad, he asserted. The subsistence of the army, he continued, has been above criticism, while its initial clothing supply, temporarily inadequate, is now substantially complete.

Has Neither Blundered nor Hesitated

"I state the foregoing conditions of the war department's problem and some of the results attained, for two purposes," he said. "In the first place the American people are entitled to know of the splendid effectiveness with which they have been able to organize the man-power and the material-power of the nation in a great cause; and second, our army in France under General Pershing and our Allies are entitled to have the benefit resulting from the depression of the morale of their enemies which must come when the Germans realize that the American democracy has neither blundered nor hesitated, but actually brought the full power of its men and resources into completely organized strength against their military machine."

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Results Show Success

"By the cooperation of all interests and all people in the country, the nation is now organized and set to its task with unanimity of spirit and confidence in its powers. More

has been done than anybody dared to believe possible. That there have been here and there errors of judgment and delays, goes without saying; but I should be wanting in frankness were I to omit my own estimate of the real unselfishness and intelligence with which my associates, military and civilian, have applied themselves to this undertaking, and the results demonstrate the success of their efforts."

Outlines Work of Department

The secretary gave the committee an outline of the work of the department and its various duties.

"On the first day of April, 1917, the regular army," he said, "comprised 5,791 officers and 121,797 enlisted men; the National Guard in federal service, approximately 3,733 officers and 76,713 enlisted men; and the reserve 4,000 enlisted men. There were also at that time approximately 2,573 officers in the reserve. On the 31st day of December, 1917 the regular army consisted of 10,250 officers and 475,000 enlisted men; the National Guard of 16,031 officers and 400,000 enlisted men; the National Army of 480,000 men; and the reserve of 84,575 officers and 72,750 enlisted men. In other words, in nine months the increase has been from 9,254 officers to 110,856 officers and from 202,510 to 1,428,650 men."

"A substantial part of our military forces was selected by the operation of the draft law the execution of which has demonstrated both the economical and the efficient way of selecting soldiers. The law itself was drawn, its execution carried to a successful conclusion and the theory of the law, novel to our people, explained and made popular because of its demonstrated fairness both in plan and execution."

45,000 Officers Commissioned

"For the training of officers two series of training camps were held from which about 45,000 officers were commissioned from civil life. This number is nearly eight times as great as the number of officers in the regular army on the first day of April."

"For the training of these soldiers sixteen cantonments have been built, costing \$134,000,000 with an average profit to the contractors of 2.95 per cent."

"The death rate in our forces in the United States, from mid-September to the end of December averaged 7.5 per thousand and is slightly less than would have been the death rate of men of the same age at home. In 1918 the death rate per thousand was 20.14 or nearly three times as great. Our death rate in the army during the year 1916, just before the war, was five per thousand. Leaving out the deaths due to measles and its complications, our rate among all troops in the United States since September 1, has been about two per thousand."

"For the fiscal year 1915 congress

appropriated for the war department \$159,000,000; for the fiscal year 1916, \$203,000,000; for the fiscal year 1917, \$403,000,000; for the fiscal year 1918, \$752,338,716.

"Of the total war department appropriations for 1918, \$3,200,000,000 was for the ordnance department of which contracts amounting to \$1,677,000,000 already have been placed."

The Ordnance Department

"On the first day of April, 1917, the ordnance department consisted of 97 commissioned officers while now it consists of 3,004 officers, and in addition has 216,120 enlisted personnel."

"In addition to the selection and training of this new force, the making of these great contracts, and to follow up necessary manufacturing processes, a continuous study of new weapons and instrumentalities has been kept up, a constant contact kept with trained men abroad studying the operation of ordnance material in battle, and accordingly modifying designs and plans here by reason of observation and experience."

"Many of the classes of ordnance material requiring to be designed, specifications drawn, and contracts let, were wholly unfamiliar to our normal military practices. The trench warfare material alone involved commitments of \$282,000,000."

"Many of the ordnance department's contracts involve increase of plant facilities, or the construction of new plants, and constant inspection by inspectors who have had to be trained in specially established schools."

The Quartermaster's Department

"For the quartermaster's department in 1918, \$3,018,000,000 was appropriated."

"On the first day of April there were 347 officers in the quartermaster's corps. On the first day of January, 1918, there was a total of 6,431 officers."

"On the first day of January, 1918, nearly two billion dollars of the appropriation had been obligated by contracts, or disbursements."

"This business involved accounting, determinations of standards, prices, quantities and the creation of new manufacturing facilities."

"In the woolen goods section alone the cooperation of over 300 mills was involved, and the following items give some idea of the extensive character of the operations: there have been purchased over 19,000,000 blankets, 20,000,000 yards of overcoating and over 30,000,000 yards each of shirting flannel and suiting, involving an expenditure of over \$345,000,000. In cotton goods the department had contracted for 250,000,000 yards of various cotton cloths."

The Aviation Section

"The aviation section of the signal corps on the first day of April, 1917,

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HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE OFFICIALS ARE CONVICTED

Men Sentenced for Violating Customs Laws by Sending Supplies to German Cruisers.

New York, Jan. 10.—Conviction of four officials of the Hamburg-American Line, including Karl Bueenz, managing director on charges of violating the customs laws by sending supplies to German cruisers early in the war was affirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals here today. The decision also upheld the conviction of the Hamburg-American Line, which had been sentenced to pay a fine of \$1.

Besides Bueenz, who is more than 70 years old and who is a former German consul general in this city, the defendants were Adolph Hachmeister, purchasing agent of the Hamburg-American Line, who died after his conviction in district court; George Kotter, superintending engineer and Joseph Popenhouse, a second officer. Bueenz Hachmeister and Kotter had been sentenced to eighteen months each in the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., and Popenhouse to a year and a day in the same institution.

Thru a system of false manifests the government contended, the steamship officials concealed the destinations of outgoing ships which they had chartered under an agreement with the German government in the winter of 1914 to see that German warships in the North and South Atlantic were provided with coal and provisions. Among the steamships chartered were the Berwind, Lorenzo and Gladstone, it was charged, and three Hamburg-American ships.

LONDON CLERGYMAN EXPLAINS VIEWPOINT

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Preaching in the city temple today the Rev. Dr. Joseph Fort Newton the pastor, formerly of Iowa, made reference to his recent sermon in which he dealt with the question of drinking among American soldiers and sailors. He said he wanted the British to understand the American point of view. Americans, he added, hold that if the government has a right to conscript a man on behalf of the great cause it has the right to conscript his conduct and keep him fit to do that work.

"In America," he continued, "it is a criminal offense to sell liquor to men in uniform. On this side, of course, you cannot enforce this regulation. I made the request that you shall help us to do so. Most of the men are able to resist temptation, but we must not set traps to catch the loose foot of those who are fighting with a weak will."

"When the fact was published that increases in the amount of grain were being allowed brewers it filled Americans with amazement. Of course there has been a great improvement in the matter of drinking. It is forty per cent better than two years ago. While rejoicing over the improvement it is a great pity to take a step backward by allowing an increase output by the brewers."

KENYON CLAIMS REPORTS UNFOUNDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Senator Kenyon of Iowa, recently returned from the battle front today denounced reports of drunkenness among American troops abroad. He urged Americans not to repeat stories, branding them as unfounded and intended to divert their attention from prosecution of the war.

General Pershing can look after that better than you or I," the senator declared in his speech. "He does not want a drunken or diseased army. Let's quit this and leave the matter to Pershing."

D'ORO WINS FIRST BLOCK

Havana, Jan. 10.—Alfredo D'Oró, the world's champion three cushion billiardist tonight won the first block in the championship match with Charles Otis of Brooklyn. The game was won by the narrow margin of one point. The score: D'Oró 98 innings—50; Otis 97 innings—49.

MCINNIS GOES TO BOSTON

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—John "Stuffy" McInnis, first baseman and the last of Connie Mack's famous World's Champions, goes to the Boston Americans in a straight trade for players. The names of the players and how many will come to Philadelphia in the trade was not announced.

CHARGED WITH VIOLATING ANTI-NARCOTIC LAW

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—John Donaldson of St. Louis was indicted here today by the federal grand jury on a charge of violating the Harrison anti-narcotic law.

"FREIGHT MOVING WEEK"

Washington, Jan. 10.—Steps to make effective the nation-wide campaign for clearing railroad terminals during next week, designated as "freight moving week" were taken today by Director-General McAdoo. Boards of trade, shippers organizations and state and local officials were urged to do their utmost to stir up agitation for prompt unloading of cars.

Freight conditions throughout the east were reported slightly improved today.

VOLCANO IN ERUPTION

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Jan. 10.—The volcano of Tungurahua in Central Ecuador has been in eruption for several days, emitting showers of stones and ashes. The population of the region is alarmed at the demonstrations of activity from the crater. It is reported that the town of Banos at the foot of the volcano has been destroyed.

"STEEL TRUST" OFFICIALS BLOCK GOVERNMENT PLAN

Head of Texas Company Makes Sensational Charges Before the Senate Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Charges that "steel trust" officials blocked a plan by which the government was to get steel for ship plates at one third less than it is paying were made before the senate committee investigating shipbuilding today by L. P. Featherstone, president of the Texas Steel company of Beaumont, Texas.

Featherstone proposed to sell to the government ore lands in Texas and coal properties in Alabama to make steel ship plates at about \$45 a ton as against \$65 other steel companies are charging the government. (His plan, he said, was referred by the shipping board to the council of national defense and thence to a sub-committee on which were Charles Schwab and other officials of large steel companies.)

"They turned me down on the excuse that the government was not prepared to go into business itself," said Featherstone.

"I might not have expected anything definite from the crowd of dollar-a-year men who were beneficiaries of high prices."

"There has not been an independent concern in the United States large enough to permit the government to be free from the men who control the steel output," Mr. Featherstone said, "since President Roosevelt surrendered to Frick and Gary and allowed them to take over the Tennessee Coal & Iron company."

He told the committee he believed it expedient for the government to take over the steel industry for the period of the war.

"The steel companies have been trying for seven or eight years to get this property away from us but have not succeeded," he continued. "We began investing in the property about nine years ago and there is now a little less than \$3,000,000 invested, most of which has been in for seven or eight years."

The committee went into executive session to hear Dr. Hollis Godfrey of the Council of National Defense, relative to a speeding up program which Dr. Godfrey has outlined.

STATE HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENTS MEET

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 10.—County superintendents of highways from all parts of Illinois began a three-day session here this morning. Salient features of the sixty million dollar good roads bond issue, to be voted on in November, were explained by S. E. Bradt, state superintendent of highways, and other road problems were under discussion.

At the conclusion of the session here, many delegates will attend the short course in highway engineering at the University of Illinois, January 14-19.

READJUSTMENT OF CHARGES APPROVED

Washington, Jan. 10.—General readjustment of reassignment and diversion charges by railroads, involving a number of increases, was approved today by the Interstate Commerce Commission after investigation of a year.

The new regulations affect principally packers, coal, lumber and grain interests and are measures to increase efficiency by reducing delays to cars incident to reassignment.

REACH AGREEMENT

London, Jan. 10.—At the first sitting of delegates at Brest-Litovsk, says a dispatch sent out by the official Russian News agency, the discussion between the Russian delegates and those of the Central Powers centered on the selection of a city in some neutral country in which to continue the deliberations. There is every possibility, it is added, of a satisfactory arrangement being reached.

QUINCY MEN INDICTED

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—In a partial return today, the federal grand jury indicted William Nieman and John Woods of Quincy who were charged with the theft of freight in interstate transit.

Elmer Cannon was indicted for the alleged sale of liquor without a government license.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Snow and much colder Friday; severe cold at night; Saturday probably fair, continued cold, fresh northwest winds.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded for Thursday were:

Jacksonville	15	19	-5
Boston	28	30	20
Buffalo	24	26	18
New York	20	34	20
New Orleans	52	52	38
Chicago	18	22	10
Detroit	22	26	18
Omaha	6	32	28
Minneapolis	-6	0	0
Helena	2	4	-10
San Francisco	64	64	50
Winnipeg	-26	-24	-19

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The tobacco crop of 1917 was much larger than the average. Why the fancy prices?

The president has told our war aims so clearly that no one can now ask what America is fighting for.

U. S. Grant, IV, is now a corporal, a higher rank than his great ancestor held at the same age.

Will the police go into the west end of town and learn if some pro-German miscreant has disturbed those brick piles. They must be protected.

An alien enemy of the German type has been inaugurated mayor of an Indiana city. Would any other country permit it?

Goethals is back in harness. Let us hope that this time he has been given power to act.

Taft is now spoken of as the "greatest individual force making for the establishment of the war morale of this country. Praise could not be much greater.

A heavy snowfall has been regarded as a blessing, as enriching the land and affording a warm blanket for wheat. So you should not complain.

Major Reddman of the German army, has become a favorite of the Kaiser because of his invention of liquid fire. Reddman has been christened the "prince of fire" and the devil is probably jealous.

GERMAN EQUALITY.

The president said a very good thing in his address to congress: "We wish Germany only to accept a place of equality among the peoples of the world—the new world in which we now live—instead of a place of mastery."

THE TRUE THRIFT.

The president of the American Society for Thrift says the tendency on the part of many of our citizens "to practice indiscriminate economy

at this time, is regrettable because of the danger of injustice to legitimate business enterprises, without any benefit therefrom to our government in winning the war. Furthermore, it is regrettable because of the possibility of fostering a popular misunderstanding of the true meaning of thrift.

"This condition, if it were to continue, would tend to discount the valuable lessons in the sensible practices of thrift which we as individuals and as a nation must learn from the war.

"We must bear in mind that money is just as essential in winning the war as food, ammunition and guns. Any condition, therefore, which tends to halt business, transacted along conservative lines, and stop the flow of money thru the customary channels, saps our financial power."

THIRTY MINUTES A DAY.

Kenosha, Wisconsin, has a model scheme for raising war funds, that is deserving of the highest commendation and is only possible in a community of patriots. The plan is well described in the following:

"For the next half hour," said he, "every man, woman and child engaged in gainful occupations in Kenosha is working for America and the allies. The earnings of one-half hour a week are turned into our patriotic fund, and from that common fund we meet the apportionments required of our city for Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and other work auxiliary to the war.

"When the whistles blow on Wednesday the whole town is reminded of its duty to the nation, and the spirit of concerted effort is felt like a thrill in every factory, store and office."

"And does this fund cover the Liberty loan apportionment?" the stranger asked.

"I should say not," replied the native. "On the printed pledges used in enrolling the city's earners it is specifically stated that the money so raised must not be applied to the purchase of Liberty bonds, since they are investments and not contributions. We over-subscribed our loan allotment more than 100 per cent."

For convenience, under the Kenosha plan, the business and professional man's half hour has been estimated at 1 per cent of his weekly earnings; the workers' half hour amounts to rather less than this. But Kenosha has raised \$350,000 for her patriotic fund by this system, without the cost and disturbance of repeated campaigns of solicitation, and has enrolled nearly 45 per cent of her total population in the American Red Cross. The first dollar of every half-hour contributor goes to pay the Red Cross membership fee. Kenosha is a city of about 30,000 population.

PROOF OF EXTRAVAGANCE.

Herbert Hoover, food administrator and earnest advocate of economy might well comment upon the figures compiled not long since by Joseph N. Quail on the cost of living in New York City, figures which were published in the Analyst. These figures show that the average living cost per capita of the residents of New York City is \$2.32. This means the enormous expenditure of \$13,006,822 for the 5,602,341 residents of New York City.

Here are the comparative figures in which Mr. Hoover can find a text, and they present facts which indeed merit the serious consideration of the people. "Hotels and restaurant service, \$915,000; alcoholic drinks, \$500,000; confections, \$147,945; tobacco, \$165,780; automobiles, \$663,534; tips, \$600,000; theaters, \$152,075. Every twenty-four hours, mind you! No wonder Commerce and Finance commented: "More spent on automobiles than on construction; five times as much on theaters as on newspapers; nearly twice as much given in tips to lackeys as is expended on universities and private schools; nearly six times as much spent on candy and tobacco as on charity. Shades of Nero, Petronius and Lucullus!"

MCUTCHEON'S SUGGESTION.

Secretary Baker's statement about the condition of the U. S. army contains a great deal of interesting information, some of which has previously been withheld from the public. The secretary shows that the U. S. now has an army six times as great as was true in the Spanish-American war, the military forces totaling nearly a million and a half men. However, the senate investigation of the war department has shown a lack of co-ordinated action which the statement will not explain away. In addition the country cannot forget that Mr. Baker is at heart a pacifist and not of the kind all good citizens are but a man who was very late in recognizing the certainty of war who seems to have more of a hope of early peace than the facts justify. There will be a demand that a man of larger experience and greater executive force supplant Mr. Baker.

McCutcheon in his Tribune cartoon yesterday showed President Wilson with a hand of cards. The card with Baker's name had been played and the president was looking in a doubtful way at the card with Roosevelt's name. It was a very suggestive picture that the cartoonist drew, but it is difficult to form even a mental picture of President Wilson actually naming Roosevelt war secretary. If he did there certainly would be some activity in war preparations. No matter what action the president takes, there is an insistent and well based demand for a coalition cabinet in these days of great stress. People generally cannot understand why the president does not feel the need of gathering into his group of advisers the strongest minds of the nation, regardless of the political alignment of the men.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

MEN OF PEACE.

In times of peace I am so mild they say I'm harmless as a child. It grieves me sore to swat a fly, to make a flea or chigger die. I hate all forms of fuss and strife, and I would walk nine miles, I swear, before I'd figure in a row. And nearly all the men I know were much the same, three years ago. We sat around the sunset tree and talked of scraps across the sea, as folks will talk of things that hap on some far corner of the map, of some wild tumult or affray on Saturn or the Milky Way. While foreign Japs were being hurt, and foreign corns were being hurt, we moralized upon the sin of kicking up so fierce a din, and told how glad we were because our grand old eagle sheathed its claws, and sat as calmly on its perch as some white dove upon a church. But since that eagle quit its dream, and jarred the nation with its scream we gather in the Blue Front store, and talk of war forevermore. Oh, how we'd make our sabres whiz, if not bungled up with rheumatiz! Oh, how we'd fly the Prussian hieer, but for the stitches in our sides! It's rather funny, is it not, that we old guys should talk such rot, and lust to wallow in our crimes—but that's the spirit of the times.

BOMBING AIRPLANES
COULD END WAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Prediction that "there would not be much left of the war" if the United States could send a fleet of 500 night bombing airplanes into one attack over the enemy lines, was made in an address here today by Lieutenant Colonel V. E. Clark, head of the army aviation engineers' division, before the convention of the society of automotive engineers. There are four types of airplanes now in use in the American army in Europe, he said, observing machines, combat machines, pursuit planes and day and night bombing machines.

"The night bombers are by far the most effective," he said. "They fly every clear night, cannot be readily seen and can drop flares and carry from a ton to a ton and a half of high explosives that are very destructive."

Major Jesse G. Vincent, introduced as "the real designer of the liberty aircraft engine" said the new engine is being made only for heavy battle and bombing machines.

C. F. Kettering, of Dayton, Ohio, was elected president of the society.

YAQUI INDIANS ON
ANOTHER RAMPAGE

NOGALES, Ariz., Jan. 10.—A band of Yaquis estimated at about 100 attacked San Miguel, near Hermosillo late last night and was met by the home guard which held off the raiders until troops sent by General Calles reached the scene. In the ensuing battle eight federal soldiers were killed and twenty wounded according to reports received here today.

The Yaqui losses are unknown. General Calles ordered a large body of troops to pursue the raiders. No report has been returned from the pursuers.

SEATTLE MAYOR BARRED
FROM LAW PRACTICE.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 10.—Hiram C. Gill, mayor of Seattle was barred today by the state board of bar examiners from practicing law in the state of Washington for one year. Today's decision was reached following a hearing of charges that the mayor allowed the law firm of Gill, Hoyt and Frye to use his name in soliciting police court business.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS MEET

Chicago, Jan. 9.—More than seven hundred merchants representing every section of the country were present today when the International League of Commission Merchants began the business sessions of its four day convention. The convention officially opened last night but no business was taken up until today.

WOMAN SUICIDES

Waterloo, Ia., Jan. 9.—Fear that she would have to testify against her husband after having him arrested for mistreating a horse, is believed to have led to the suicide of Mrs. Merle Young, 28, a farmer's wife, whose lifeless body was found hanging in a barn at her home here last night.

WILL FILE PRELIMINARY PAPERS.

St. Louis, Jan. 9.—Robert Steele, pitcher for the St. Louis Nationals prior to June, 1917, but now the property of the Pittsburgh Nationals today prepared a declaration of intentions to file in the federal court preliminary to becoming naturalized. He is a citizen of Canada and began his baseball career there.

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DISTILLERY SOLD

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 9.—Announcement was made here today of the sale of the Clarke Bees Company, to the United States Industrial Alcohol Company of New York. It is understood the distillery will be reconstructed for the manufacture of chemicals.

WILL DISCONTINUE TRAINS

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Jan. 9.—State railway commissioners announced today that permission had been given the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul to discontinue numbers 27 and 28, trains running between Monticello and Calmar in order that fuel may be saved.

A new time card will be issued Sunday.

WINCHESTER RED CROSS
MAKES GOOD SHOWING

Made Large Number of Garments in Past Year—Funeral of Daniel Mills to be Held at Bluffs—Other News of Interest.

Winchester, Jan. 10.—Mrs. George Bowman, Mrs. William Stewart and Mrs. Elmer Goolsby, all of Aisey, were visitors here today.

The funeral services for Leo Louis Jones, who died at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock in the Baptist church, assisted by Rev. W. R. Johnson. Interment will be made in Gillham cemetery.

Obituary.

Leo Louis Jones, aged 24 years, 9 months and 20 days, died Wednesday, Jan. 9, at Jacksonville. He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Price Jones of Griggsville; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Whitlock of Oxxville and Miss Lela at home; five brothers, Clyde, Melvin, Ray, Leslie and Clarence. He was a young man of splendid character and altho thru his affliction he suffered greatly he was brave thru it all and always had a cheerful smile for his friends. He had resided recently at the home of his cousin, James Knapp, near Winchester, where the remains were taken from the hospital.

William Howard left Thursday afternoon for Aisey. The funeral of Daniel W. Mills, aged sixty nine years, 5 months and 22 days, will be held from the residence south of Bluffs, Friday, January 11, at 1 p. m. Elder Scott Peak of Exeter and Rev. C. W. Caseley of Winchester will officiate. Mrs. Mills preceded her husband in death two months ago. Deceased is survived by two sons, Clifford of Winchester and Cronie of Bluffs.

Jesse King and Ira Kirkpatrick arrived here Friday from Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky., where they are stationed with other Scott county boys in the U. S. national army. Jesse is the son of Edward King and Ira is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kirkpatrick. They are home on short furloughs.

Mrs. Josephine Clement was here today to organize a branch of the state council of defense.

The ladies of the Winchester chapter of the Red Cross have not been idle the past months is evidenced by the number of articles made and sent out from Winchester during the past year. In 1917 the chapter made 144 sweaters, 48 hospital bed shirts, 36 pairs of socks, 51 pair of wristlets, 24 nightgales, 44 convelescent robes, 56 pajamas, 47 pair bed socks, 24 handkerchiefs, 12 mufflers, 151 gun wipes, 24 napkins and 4 helmets. Since Jan. 1 the ladies have ready for shipment 24 sweaters, 10 pair wristlets, 10 pair socks, 5 scarfs and 4 helmets.

Mrs. Amanda Six and daughter, Mrs. Leonard Bowser and children, Mariott and Helen Louise, of Bluffs, are visiting relatives and friends here.

The case of Frank Faulkner vs the Mauvalsterre Levee & Drainage district came up for hearing before Judge Norman L. Jones in the circuit court here today. The jury in this case was completed and the taking of testimony began. The case heard Wednesday, that of Pfennenger vs Daniels, was decide in favor of Mr. Pfennenger.

JACKSONVILLE TAILORING
CO. SECURES LADIES' TAILOR

The Jacksonville Tailoring company has secured the services of J. S. Green of Chicago, expert cutter and fitter of ladies' suits, skirts, etc. Mr. Green will arrive Saturday morning, Jan. 12, and as at present arranged will remain about six weeks. This news will be of interest to many Jacksonville ladies who desire tailor made garments.

COSTA RICA REVOLUTION
MANUFACTURED IN U. S.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Testimony that an American manufactured the revolution in Costa Rica, designed to overcome the opposition of former President Gonzales to the granting of an oil concession was given in supreme court here today. The story of the revolution was told by Manuel E. Larizabal of Nicaragua who is suing Washington S. Valentin, the Costa Rican minister here, for one half of the profits from the sale of Costa Rican oil grants to the H. F. Sinclair interests for \$1,000,000 early last year.

Larizabal testified that he had been associated in business with Valentin for ten years and that in 1914 he introduced his partner to a Dr. Montufar from whom Valentin purchased the concession. Valentin, the witness asserted, was opposed by President Gonzales.

To overcome this opposition he declared and put thru his deal to sell the grant the revolutionary plot which resulted in placing Frederico A. Tinoco in the president's chair was hatched in this country. The witness also testified concerning letters regarding conversations between Valentin and Mme. Tinoco, the president's wife in the interest of the oil deal and the revolution. By the purchase of concession the Sinclair interests obtained 9,000,000 acres of unimproved oil land which Lord Cowdray, the British oil magnate, tried for years to get.

EGG PRICES REACH
NEW HIGH LEVEL

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Egg prices in Chicago today reached a new high level for the season selling up to 65 cents a dozen in wholesale lots to the retailer. Cold storage eggs were advanced two cents a dozen to 43 cents and Commissioner Probie, local representative of the butter and egg division under Commissioner Hoover took advantage of the rise to notify dealers that any further increase would be considered as taking advantage of the unusual weather to obtain unjust profits.

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MATRIMONIAL

Barber-Hayes.

Chester J. Barber of Roodhouse and Miss Alice Hayes of Murrayville were united in marriage at the court house Thursday afternoon by Judge William E. Thomson. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Alice Hayes residing three miles west of Murrayville. The groom is a farmer. The couple will reside near Roodhouse.

Day-Bates.

A marriage license was issued at Jerseyville this week to Elmer Day and Miss Stella Bates both of this city. Mr. Day is the son of John Day of North Diamond street and is a tailor by occupation. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bates, who reside on the corner of North Diamond and West Walnut streets. Mr. and Mrs. Day will reside at 232 West Court street for the present.

BIRTH RECORD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Albert Kitchen of Winchester R. F. D. No. 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nunes of North Church street, Thursday evening, a seven pound boy. Mrs. Kitchen was formerly Miss Evelyn Louise Nunes. Dr. E. D. Canatsey was the attending physician.

CONFERRED LODGE
WORK BY CANDLE LIGHT

Favorite Lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias at the regular meeting Thursday evening conferred the rank of page on J. E. Bradfield. The fire at the Jenkinson-Bode grocery establishment put the lights in the lodge room out of commission. The members were not discouraged, however, but went back to the primitive days. Candles were secured and the work was conferred by candle light.

A CORRECTION

An item appeared in Sunday morning's Journal stating that Miss Mellor of the Litterberry neighborhood had entertained a company of friends Saturday night at a progressive euchre party. The statement was incorrect and the item should have read that Miss Mellor enter-

tained a party at rook. For several reasons the original item was annoying to the persons who attended the party and the Journal regrets the error.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Saturday meeting of the Woman's club will be under the direction of the Red Cross committee and will be one of interest to the members. Announcement will be made with reference to the Red Cross activities of the club. There will be an address by Mr. H. H. Bancroft on "Woman's Work in the War" and Mrs. Florence Myron Hartmann will sing.

DANCE AT PEACOCK INN.

A pleasant social event was the dance at Peacock Inn Thursday evening. The affair was for the members of the cast of the recent Jollies and Elks and was well attended. Music was furnished by Randall's orchestra.

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TIME OF SHOWS

Thursday—Matinee: Pictures, 2 o'clock; Vaudeville, 3:30. Night: Pictures, 7:30; Vaudeville, 9 o'clock.

Saturday, 3 Shows—Pictures, 2, 6:30, 8:30; Vaudeville, 3:30, 7:45, 9:45.

oming Saturday—A five Reel Mutual, "THE CHECKMATE", featuring JACKIE SAUNDERS.

CITY AND COUNTY

George Haynes of Franklin was a caller on city people yesterday.

Mrs. Nettie Sheppard of Lynnville was a city shopper yesterday.

Ray Fligg was a city caller from Lynnville yesterday.

Frank Willard was a city arrival from Concord yesterday.

Rev. Thomas Simons, pastor of

the M. E. church at Concord visited the city yesterday.

John Wynn of Franklin was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Charles Rexroat of Concord traveled to the city in his Oldsmobile car yesterday.

Walter Baylis of the northwest part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Samuel DeFries of Murrayville is visiting Jacksonville friends a few days.

C. E. Davis and wife of the east part of the county were city callers yesterday.

N. E. Neal of the north part of the county was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Roy Conover was a city arrival from Ashland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lurton Tucker of Murrayville were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Robert Reeve and son Isaac were city arrivals from the east part of the county yesterday.

Crum Cleary of the northeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flynn of the east part of the county were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams helped represent Lynnville in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ryan of Franklin made a shopping trip to the city yesterday coming in their Buick car.

Thomas Shen of Carthage was among the callers in the city yesterday.

D. M. McCarty of McCarty station was a business caller in town yesterday.

Thomas Murphy was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

W. J. Shelton was a city arrival from the vicinity of Manchester yesterday.

R. J. Lair of Palmyra was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Charles Owen of Milton was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Thomas Douglas of the vicinity of Franklin made a business trip to the city yesterday.

C. L. Langston of Peoria was called to the city by business yesterday.

Foster Sheppard of Lynnville was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Miss Annie Fligg was a city shopper from Lynnville yesterday.

Oliver Baker of Pisgah was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Newton Serrance of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Aven Wood of the vicinity of Union church was a city caller yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McGuffey of Springfield were visitors with city people yesterday.

Judson Willett of Mattoon traveled to the city on business yesterday.

John Maulding of Mercedosa was a city visitor yesterday.

Thomas H. Kirsch of Joliet was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Arthur Arnold of Bloomington made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McPherson of White Hall were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Bert Oloyd of Litterberry was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Willard Young of Litterberry made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister of the north part of the county were callers on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Miss Elsie Leonard of the east part of the county was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Charles Knepler of New Berlin was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson was a city shopper from Alexander yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harney were city arrivals from Waverly yesterday.

Miss Catherine McCarty of Alexander was among the callers in the city yesterday.

James Gaddis rode to the city from Concord in his Buick car yesterday.

James Kinney of Alexander was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. J. Lukeman of the east part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Walter Smith of Woodson was one of the travelers to the city yesterday.

Fletcher Mathers of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Richard Butler of Woodson precinct was a traveler to the city yesterday.

W. M. Beekman helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

Luther Brockhouse who has been visiting relatives in Concord precinct expected to leave today for Corpus Christi, Texas, where he now resides.

Frank Hembrough of Asbury vicinity was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Walter Smith was a city caller from Woodson yesterday.

Alexander Miller of Alexander was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

John Phillips and family came down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Beekman were representatives of Pisgah in the city yesterday.

J. R. Baker was a caller in the city from Franklin yesterday.

Myron Miller of Alexander was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Henry Rees of Clemens station was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wallace of Chapin were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Dan McCarty of Franklin was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Oyer Wright was up to the city from Waverly yesterday.

D. W. Thomas of Canton, Ill., was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Charles Short of Waverly was among the callers in the city yesterday.

J. B. Beekman of Pisgah was greeting some of his many friends in the city yesterday.

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MENTAL LAPSES IN SOLDIERS.
Boston, Mass., Jan. 9.—In view of the task that the United States Government has set itself, to weed out the nervously and mentally unfit officers and enlisted men in the army and navy, more than usual interest is attached to a public meeting held here today to discuss the nervous ailments to which the soldier is peculiarly subject under conditions of modern warfare. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene. Several eminent medical experts told of the measures being taken, both here and abroad, to provide proper treatment for "shell shock" and "war strain," that the present conflict has made so common.

A limited number of high grade OVERCOATS are placed on sale today by FRANK BYRNS at 20% DISCOUNT.

NEBRASKA LUMBER DEALERS.
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 9.—The effects of the war on the lumber industry are to form the chief topic of discussion by the Nebraska Lumber Dealers' Association at its annual convention which opened here today. Prominent representatives of the trade throughout the State are attending the two-day session.

THE FARMER AND THE WAR.
Topeka, Kans., Jan. 9.—Government plans for meeting the farm labor situation next year will be one of the principal subjects presented to the Kansas farmers at the forty-seventh Kansas State agricultural convention, which began its sessions in the capital today under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture. A wartime program has been prepared and many noted farm and livestock authorities will be heard.

WYOMING WOOL GROWERS.
Douglas, Wyo., Jan. 9.—Important economic questions involving wartime mutton, wool and hide supplies for the civil population of America and for the allied armies will be discussed at the annual convention of the Wyoming Wool Growers' association, which met here today for a three-day session.

MR. BARBEE HERE
P. B. Barbree, manager of the Douglas hotel is spending a few days in the city. He is a very pleasant gentleman and has made an excellent impression on all whom he has met. He seems to be a thorough hotel man, up to date, and knowing what the traveling public wants.

Social Events

Mrs. Carpenter Hostess to Young Ladies Club.
Mrs. E. C. Carpenter entertained two young ladies at her home Thursday evening. This is a club recently organized by Mrs. Carpenter, both literary and musical. A most interesting program was rendered, and an elegant luncheon was served. Mrs. Carpenter was assisted in serving by Miss Helen Bennett and Miss Kathryn Parker.

Celebrated Birthday.
Miss Allen Switzer celebrated her 17th birthday Wednesday evening at her home southwest of the city. Those present were: Miss Helen Frost of Winchester, Hildreth Watson, Ruth Hamel, Lorena Watson, Irene Hamel, Dorothy Coultas, Bessie Shaw, Winifred Coultas, Marie Bussey, Lela Switzer, Wilbur Gibas, Raymond Davidson, Clyde Sturdy, Ralph Heaton, Lloyd West Roland Walker, Carl West, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Watts and son, William. In the cutting of the birthday cake Winifred Coultas received the ring, Hildreth Watson the needle, Lela Switzer the button and Roy Switzer the dime. She received quite a number of nice presents. Refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests departed wishing her many happy returns of the day.

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MORTUARY

Foster.
Mrs. Belle Pauline Turner Foster, residing three miles west of the city, died at Our Savior's hospital at 3:35 o'clock Thursday afternoon after an illness of three weeks of spinal meningitis.

Belle Pauline Turner was the daughter of J. B. and Edna Sampson Turner and was born at Tice, near Petersburg June 10, 1894. She resided there with her parents for a number of years and then the family moved to Beardstown where she lived for 11 years and graduated from the Beardstown high school.

She was united in marriage in Chicago March 9, 1916, to Orville F. Foster. Since that time they have resided on the John Leach farm west of the city. She is survived by her husband and a baby daughter, Frances Emma Foster, one year old. She also leaves her parents and one brother, Luther M. Turner of Beardstown and two sisters, Mrs. C. A. Reubensamen of Montana and Mrs. Ruth Hansen of Chicago.

Deceased taught school at Alexander for two years prior to her marriage. She was a member of Berea Christian church and was active in the work of its various activities. Mrs. Foster was a woman of high ideals and her fine character and her many qualities of heart and mind endeared her to all with whom she came in contact. Her death coming as it does at the threshold of young womanhood makes it particularly sad, and will bring sorrow to many hearts.

Funeral services will be held from Berea church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. C. G. Campbell of Concord.

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PROBATE COURT
In the probate court Thursday in the estate of J. F. Hatch, letters of administration were ordered to issue to Harry M. Capps and bond fixed in the sum of \$88,000.

In the estate of Philip Heckman petition for letters of administration was received and letters were ordered to issue to Miss Anna Hackman with a bond of \$10,000.

In the conservatorship of Eva Connell the petition of the conservator F. E. Farrell for authority to arrange for new quarters for the ward was allowed. For years she was cared for at Oak Lawn.

IN AVIATION WORK.
Glenn Gilbert, brother of M. E. Gilbert, who was for a time employed in the Gilbert Pharmacy here, is now at Cambridge, Mass. The young man is in aviation work there and is one of company of 2500 U. S. soldiers taking special courses of study. In his letter to his brother Mr. Gilbert says that army men are completing this course of instruction at the rate of 100 a week.

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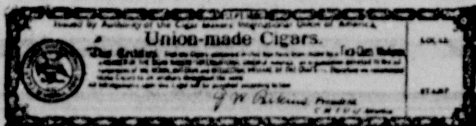
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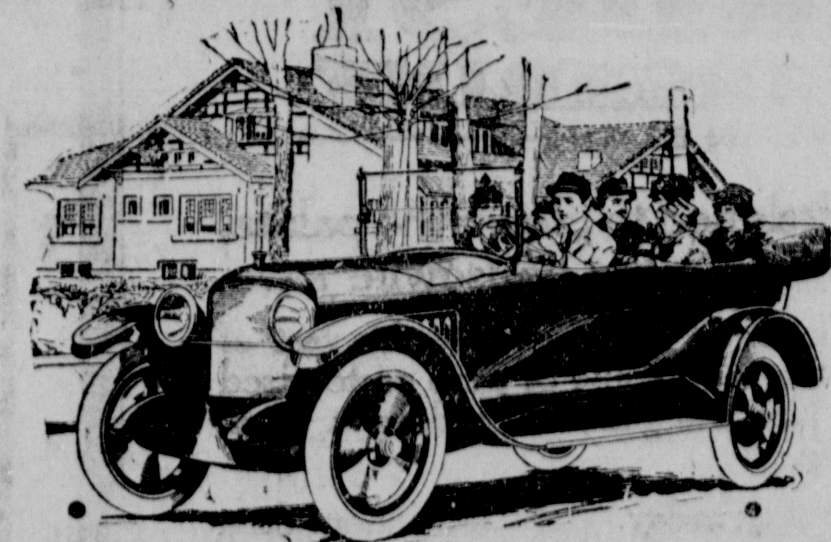
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WOMAN SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT PASSED BY HOUSE

(Continued from Page 1.)

Maher, Mays, Neeley, Oldfield, Oliver of New York; O'Shaughnessy, Phelan, Rainey, Raker, Romjue, Ruben, Rucker, Russell, Sabath, Scully, Sears, Shackelford, Shallenberger, Sherwood, Shouse, Sims, Charles B. Smith, Thomas F. Smith, Stephens of Nebraska, Sterling of Pennsylvania; Sullivan, Summers, Taylor of Arkansas; Taylor of Colorado; Thomas, Thompson, Tillman, VanDyke, Walton, Weaver, Welling, Wingo. Total Democrats 104.

REPUBLICANS:—Anderson, Anthony, Austin, Bachrach, Bland of Indiana; Bowers, Britten, Browne, Burroughs, Butler, Campbell of Kansas; Cannon, Carter of Massachusetts; Chandler of New York; Chandler of Oklahoma; Clark of Pennsylvania; Classon, Cooper of Ohio; Cooper of Wisconsin; Copley, Costello, Crampton, Currie, Michigan; Dale, Vermont; Darrow, Davidson, Davis, Dempsey, Denison, Dillon, Dowell, Dyer, Edmonds, Elliott, Ellsworth, Elston, Emerson, Esch, Benjamin L. Fairchild, Fairfield, Farr, Fess, Fordney, Foss, Francis, Frear, Freeman, French, Fuller of Illinois; Glynn, Good, Goodall, Graham of Illinois; Green of Ohio; Grist, Ellsworth, Hamilton of Michigan; Hamilton of New York; Haskell, Haugen, Hawley, Hayes, Hersey, Hicks, Hollingsworth, Hustid, Hutchinson, James, Johnson of Washington; Juul, Kahn, Kelly of Michigan; Kennedy of Iowa; Kennedy of Rhode Island; Keiss of Pennsylvania; King, Kincaid, Knutsen, Krause of Indiana; LaFollette, Langley, Leback, Lennett, Little, Lundeen of Minnesota; McArthur, McCormick, McCullough, McFadden, McKensie, McKinley, McLaughlin of Michigan; Madden, Magee, Mann, Mapes, Mason, Merrett, Mercer of Minnesota; Mondell, Moores of In-

diana; Morgan, Mott, Nelson, Nichols of Michigan; Nolan, Norton, Osborne, Parker of New York; Peters, Platt, Porter, Powers, Pratt, Purnell, Ramsey, Rankin, Reavis, Robbins, Roberts, Rodenburg, Rogers, Rose, Rowe, Rowland, Sanders of Indiana; Sanford Scott of Iowa; Scott, Michigan; Scott, Pennsylvania; Selis, Siegel, Sinott, Slomp, Sloan, Smith of Idaho; Smith of Michigan; Snell, Snyder, Steinerson, Sterling of Illinois; Stiness, Strong, Sweet, Swift, Tempke, Templeton, Timberlake, Towner, Treadway, Vane, Vostal, Volstead, Waldow, Ward, Wasson, Wheeler, White of Maine; Williams, Wilson of Illinois; Wood of Indiana; Woods of Iowa; Woodyard, Young of North Dakota and Ziehlman. Total Republicans 165.

FOR ADOPTION, MISCELLANEOUS
Barr, Fuller of Massachusetts; London, Randall, and Schall. Total miscellaneous for five.

TOTAL FOR 274.
AGAINST THE RESOLUTION
DEMOCRATS:—Almon, Ashbrook, Aswell, Bankhead, Bell, Black, Blackmon, Brand, Buchanan, Burnett, Byrnes of South Carolina; Candler, Carlin, Clark of Florida; Claypool, Coady, Collier, Crisp, Dent, Dewalt, Dies, Dominick, Doremus, Doughton, Dupree, Eagle, Estopon, Flood, Gard, Garner of Texas; Garrett of Tennessee; Glass, Godwin of North Carolina; Gordon, Gray of Alabama; Hardy, Mississippi; Harris, Virginia; Hefflin, Helm, Houston, Howard, Huddleston, Hull of Tennessee; Humphreys, Jones of Virginia; Kehoe, Key, Kinchloe, Litcher, Larson, Lazaro, Lee of Georgia; Leshner, Lever, Loneragan, McLemore, Mansfield, Montague, Moon, Nichols, Oliver of Alabama; Olney, Overmyer, Overstreet, Park, Polk, Pou, Price, Quinn, Ragsdale, Rayburn, Rlordan, Robinson, Rouse of Kentucky; Sanders of Louisiana; Saunders of Virginia; Sherley, Sleson, Sladen, Small, Snook, Steagall, Steedman, Steele, Stephens of Mississippi; Stevenson, Tague, Talbot, Venable, Vinson, Walker, Watkins, Watson of Virginia; Webb, Welter, Whaley, White of Ohio; Wilson of Louisiana; Wilson of Texas; Young of Texas. Total Democrats of 102.

REPUBLICANS:—Browning, Crago, Dallinger, Focht, Garland, Gillett, Gould, Gray of New Jersey; Green of Massachusetts; Green of Vermont; Heaton, Hull of Iowa; Kerns, Kreidler, Longworth, Lufkin, McLaughlin of Pennsylvania; Meeker, Moore of Pennsylvania; Morin; Mudd, Page, Parker of New Jersey; Ramsey, Sanders of New York; Stafford, Switzer, Tilson, Tinkham, Voight of Wisconsin; Walsh, Watson of Pennsylvania; Winslow of Massachusetts. Total 33.

Miscellaneous against:
Martin, Louisiana (Progressive);

1. TOTAL AGAINST 136.
Fairchild, Reed and George W. Fairchild (for).
Dunn, against.
Ireland and LaGardia (for).
Padgett, against.
Curry of California and Miller of Washington (for).
Holland, against.
Johnson, South Dakota (for).
Cooper of West Virginia, against.
Absent or not voting: Capstick, Carey, Drucker, Graham of Pennsylvania; Heintz and Hood.

Prepared to Cast Own Vote
The speaker watched the vote prepared to cast his own into the breach if necessary.
"One more negative vote," he explained afterward, as he chuckled over the victory, "would have changed the situation and the amendment resolution would have been lost in which event I would have directed the clerk to call my name and that would have been just sufficient to carry it."

Twenty-Five Failed to Vote
Of the total membership of 435, there were 410 members who voted. Their line-up follows:

Democrats	104
Republicans	165
Miscellaneous	5
Totals	274
Against the Resolution:	
Democrats	102
Republicans	33
Progressive	1
Total	136

Applaud Republican Leader
Urgent orders had been given by the leaders to bring in everybody possible. When Representative Mann walked slowly to his accustomed place as leader of the Republicans there was applause.

Members from all sides rushed over to him and Speaker Clark broke a precedent by announcing he was sure everybody in the house welcomed Representative Mann back.

Two Women on the Floor
There were two women on the floor during the contest, Miss Jeanette Rankin of Montana, who, as representative of a suffragist state was accorded the courtesy of not only controlling one fourth of the time of debate but of making the opening speech, and Miss Mays, of Terrell, of Washington City, who as clerk of the woman suffrage committee sat by side its chairman, Representative Raker of California. The house met at 11 o'clock this morning, an hour earlier than usual and began consideration of the resolution under an agreement to close general debate and begin voting on amendments at five o'clock in the afternoon. It was 6:15 o'clock when the final roll call began and just 45 minutes later when Speaker

Clark announced the result. President Wilson's support is credited with changing many Democratic votes.

The party divided almost evenly with a margin of two ayes. Until yesterday it had been assumed that a large majority of the Democrats would oppose the resolution.

BAKER EXPRESSES HIS APPRECIATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Secretary Baker has expressed to the commander of the 352nd infantry regiment, national army, Camp Dodge, Iowa, thru Adjutant General McCain, his appreciation of the remarkable record of the command in having had no court martial case or incident requiring court martial proceedings from the time of its organization up to Nov. 24. The division commander has been authorized to publish the regiments record in general orders. Writing to the regimental commander, General McCain said the record "reflects credit upon the drafted men as indicating a high spirit of obedient service."

FAMOUS ACTRESS DEAD

New York, Jan. 10.—Miss Kate Samuel, an actress known as Kitty Mitchell to the stage of a generation ago, died at her home here today at the age of 50. She was born at Leavenworth, Kans. She made her first appearance with Joseph Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle."

She also appeared with Della Fox and had a leading part in the musical comedy "All Around Chicago."

HOSPITAL OPENS

Washington, Jan. 10.—The Saint Eugene Hospital for Tuberculosis repatriates at Lyons, designed to care for patients reaching France from the occupied districts of France and Belgium via Evian has been opened in the presence of officials of the Red Cross, the Rockefeller Foundation and the French government, the Red Cross war council was advised today by cable.

The hospital has been loaned to the American Red Cross by the hospital board of Lyons.

WOMEN STREET CAR CONDUCTORS

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 10.—Following thirty days instructions three women succeeded men as conductors on street cars here today, the first graduates of a school maintained by the United Railways company.

FIVE LIVES LOST IN FIRE

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 10.—Four children and one woman lost their lives in a fire which today destroyed the east wing of the Catholic general hospital in Water street with a property damage amounting to \$100,000. The victims were patients.

Employees of the government printing offices aided firemen and nurses in making many daring rescues in the removal of nearly 200 persons from the hospital.

NEW YORK UNFILED ORDERS

New York, Jan. 10.—The unfiled orders on the books of the United States Steel Corporation on Dec. 31 amounted to 9,381,710 tons, an increase of 484,612 tons compared with the orders on Nov. 30 according to the monthly report issued today.

POWDER PLANT CLOSING DOWN

Paterson, N. J., Jan. 10.—Closing of the Du Pont Powder plants at Pompton Lakes and Haskell, engaged exclusively on war work, was declared by the management today to be only a matter of a few hours unless fuel were received promptly.

PLANS ABANDONED

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 10.—Governor W. L. Harding has definitely abandoned plans for calling a special war session of the Iowa legislature, at least for the present, it was learned today.

GERMAN OFFICIAL

London, Jan. 10.—A German official statement according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Central News says:

"As a reprisal for the pretention of inhabitants of Alsace-Lorraine against the law of nations \$500 French will be conveyed to Russia from Jan. 6 and within a few days 400 French women will be sent to the camp at Holzminde (Dachy of Brunswick)."

LOWDEN FAVORS WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Governor Lowden in a visit to Chicago today said woman suffrage is a good thing and here to stay. He also declared he was still unconvinced of the need of a special session of the legislature to take care of the financial needs of Chicago.

Governor Lowden departed for Springfield tonight.

PULTON SCORES KNOCKOUT

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 10.—Fred Pulton of Rochester, Minn., tonight knocked out Harry "Texas" Tate, of Nowata, Okla., in the second round of a scheduled 12 round bout. Tate went down twice before receiving a blow to the jaw that put him out.

READY TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS

Amsterdam, Jan. 10.—The Russian delegation at Brest-Litovsk has announced its readiness to continue the peace negotiations at that place according to the latest information received here.

COAL PRODUCTION AT MAXIMUM

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—The production of hard coal is now at substantially the maximum point possible with the present working force says a statement issued tonight by the general committee of Anthracite operators. Anthracite mine workers number 152,000 compared with 177,000 in 1916.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE RE-OPENED

Copenhagen, Jan. 10.—The Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, says it learns that the peace negotiations were re-opened at Brest-Litovsk Wednesday.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION NOTES

Are You a Good Cook?
Are you a good cook?

It is probable that most of us have a secret conviction that we are excellent cooks. At least the children always want second and third helpings, and Mrs. Smith is always asking us to bake one of our chocolate cakes for the church fair, or to make something for the bazaar, and John has always wagered that no other man's wife could bake a loaf of bread that could beat one of our loaves.

Oh, yes, we are sure we are good cooks!

But when we analyze it further, what is really a good cook? Is it one who can make palatable dishes, or is it more than that?

A modiste who can make a last year's gown look like an up-to-the-minute creation is clever in her art than the one who must always begin with whole cloth. So a really good cook is one who can make a dollar feed the most mouths, who can make a tempting meal out of the left-overs she finds in her refrigerator, and who can see a relishable possibility in a few scraps of meat.

It takes no art, but only practice to make palatable dishes if we only buy the most expensive cuts of meat, use only the top of the milk bottle, have no scruples about adding large lumps of butter and plenty of sugar to all our cooking. That is not being a really good cook. A very mediocre one could set an excellent table under such conditions.

But now, in these critical times, when not a scrap of food must be wasted, and the lives of thousands depend on the housewives of America, this country has the right to expect and does expect every American housewife to be a good cook, with all the ingenuity in using left-overs, all the skill in substituting in part other things for meat, wheat, butter and sugar, and all the art in making a small amount of food go a long way, that the term "good cook" implies.

Fish and Victory
It is queer, isn't it, how closely interwoven are all human affairs? Take your eating fish instead of meat, for instance. How can the wildest imagination connect this with the winning of battles in France and Flanders?

Yet, these two apparently irrelevant things are very closely connected, for neither our soldiers nor the Allies can win those battles across the water, unless they are well fed. And one of the things especially needed for our armies is meat.

How can we help the government provide this needed food? Simply by eating other foods, cheaper and more plentiful and just as nourishing and healthful.

One excellent substitute for meat is fish.

"But I don't like fish," you object.

Have you given all kinds of fish a chance to win favor? Fish are as varied in flavor as meat. If you don't like salmon or mackerel you may like haddock or cod, or even some of the new kinds of fish.

"Well, fish doesn't agree with me," you fence.

It is true that occasionally a person is poisoned by fish, but for the average individual, fish is as readily digested as meat.

"But I need the nourishment in meat." You settle back with the complacent air of one who has installed himself behind an argument that can not be felled.

But fish has practically the same body-building value as meat. If eaten with potatoes and with corn bread and butter, fish furnishes an adequate meal.

You resort to the last argument.

"Well, I get so tired of fish. One fish day is all that I can stand in the week."

If this is your complaint, it is a needless one, for the ways to vary the serving of fish are almost limitless. It may be eaten boiled, steamed, broiled, fried, or baked. It may be "dressed up" with all kinds of sauces. It may be stuffed and roasted. It may be served cold in a salad or flaked or used in a gelatin. Or it may masquerade its appearance on your table combined with other materials as in the following recipe:

Fish Potato Pie
Line a deep greased dish with well seasoned mashed potatoes to the thickness of one inch. Fill to within one inch of the top with creamed fish, cover with potatoes, brush with melted fat, and bake in a hot oven until brown. Garnish with parsley and lemon.

Two fish days a week instead of one will release much needed food, and your patriotic self-denial need involve no real hardship.

Emergency Breads
Why not have a booth for Emergency Breads at your next Church Fair? It could be made most attractive with its display of breads made from a combination of various flours with wheat flour. A placard of prominence might read:

EMERGENCY BREAD
IS
3-4 OR 4-5
WHITE FLOUR
AND
1-4 OR 1-5
SOME OTHER FLOUR.

Some of these breads to be made and sold are potato bread, corn-meal and wheat bread, rye bread, rolled oats bread, etc. Have a display of cut loaves showing the texture and color of these various admixtures.

A table of miniature sandwiches might bring in the pennies and also prove selling power for the loaves—a penny a sample, as it were.

Another drawing-card to the booth outfit could be arranged, would be a demonstration of emergency bread making. It would not only prove interesting but would be a practical means of instructing the housewives. If space prevents the actual baking of the bread, the measuring and mixing can be shown, the other steps can be described briefly and then the bread shown when baked.

Certain breads may be more suitable for your particular locality and

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those recipes will be selected for you if you will apply to your State Agricultural College through its Extension Department or to your county extension agents.

By sending 5 cents to the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C., you can get Farmers Bulletin No. 807, called "Bread and Bread Making in the Home" which has both recipes and valuable information regarding substitute breads.

The attendants in this booth should wear the spotless white coat of the baker and the white pique cap of the U. S. Food Administration uniform.

Another idea is to have several bread boards scattered about, each with a bread knife and a loaf as a reminder of the wisest way to serve bread at the table during war days. Posters in color, as well as slogans, on saving the wheat by saving "A Slice of Bread a Day" can be secured by applying to the Federal Food Administrator in your state, or to the United States Food Administration, Washington, D. C.

BOXING INSTRUCTOR RESIGNS.
Cleveland, O., Jan. 10.—Jimmy Dunn, manager of Johnny Kilbane has resigned his post as boxing instructor at Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., and returned home. Packey McFarland has been appointed to succeed him. Dunn has applied for an instructorship at some cantonment nearer home.

Municipal suffrage has been granted to the women of the Mexican state of Guanajuato.

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HOTELS VS HOUSEWIVES.

(U. S. Food Administration.)

"My trip East proved one thing to me and that is, that the hotels and public eating places are doing more systematic food saving than we housekeepers are accomplishing."

She had come from the Middle West and it was her first visit to the Eastern cities.

"Why I was astounded," she continued, "to find such patriotic cooperation in every hotel we were in. And from travelers who had been out thru the West," she went on, "I learned that the same thing is true in all the big hotels clear to the coast. You see, I have never known much about hotel life. I've never traveled, to speak of, and when I go to the city to shop it is only for the day and I have no occasion to stay at a hotel. But I have been helping in this food-saving campaign at home and I feel like going back and starting a regular crusade among the housewives to urge a more definite and systematic program."

And she was right. The reason the saving in hotels and public eating places stands out in such amazing figures is not only because these places are dealing in such quantities of foodstuffs but because they have set for themselves definite programs for the definite saving of definite foods. That is the real secret.

The housewife, on the contrary, has too often begun her saving in a desultory way.

"Let's cut down on this or let's do without that," she says to her family and to her cook, but the food continues to come to the table and it continues to be eaten.

That "the spirit is willing but the flesh is weak" is too often true in food saving. If meat is served every day of the week, it will be eaten and; if white bread is put on

the table in unrestricted abundance, it will be used accordingly.

But the hotels have managed differently. They have agreed on certain days to give up meat and wheat and these foods are simply not to be obtained on those days. Hotel guests and diners-out have accepted this situation as a matter of course. They merely take a second look at their menu card and smilingly order a substitute, even tho they have been thinking of that "fiery mignon" for hours. If they are reminded by the waiter that it is "Meatless Tuesday," they cheerfully change their order to braised chicken and go away from the table with their hearts stirred with the satisfying thought of a patriotic duty performed.

But let us see what are some of the things actually being accomplished by the public eating places of our country. In the larger hotels and restaurants of New York City there is being saved thru this "Meatless Tuesday" and "Wheatless Wednesday" almost one thousand barrels of flour a week and more than a thousand pounds of meat. On one Tuesday in November, New York City saved 193,545 pounds of meat and one Wednesday in the same month, 101,295 pounds of wheat flour.

The following table shows the comparison between this year and last for the single month of October in average wheat consumption in the hotels of New York City:

Persons	115,486	122,494
Barrels of wheat	165	181
Flour consumed	165	181
Average consumption per person	4.48 oz.	3.93 oz.

The average saving per person for wheatless day at one hotel is 4 1-2 ounces.

This is the saving of only two specified days a week. Add to this a general saving thruout the week by partial substitution for wheat flour in bread and pastry and by taking certain meats off the menu, and you can see what is actually being accomplished.

This movement in food saving in public eating places is nation-wide. Ninety per cent of the hotels of the Southeast are following to the letter this systematic saving. Practically every hotel and club in Chicago is carrying out this voluntary program of conservation.

It is all a voluntary, patriotic response on the part of the hotels and restaurants to the government's appeal thru the Food Administration that they help save for our needs at home and abroad. The hotel and restaurant men were simply asked to sign the Pledge Card, just as were the housewives of the country—"even as you and I."

The same strict observance of certain days for certain food saving would accomplish a much greater result in the homes of our country. The saving in one home, even in the home of a millionaire would not show the same sum total saved as in one big hotel. But multiply your homes by some 22,000,000 homes in the entire country and the figures are amazing.

Do not say "Let's have a meatless day some day in the week" and then have one some weeks and none another. Rather say "Let's have Tuesday for a meatless day in our home," and then see that no meat is brought into the dining room on that day. The same amount of food value can be furnished in other things.

A certain wholesale house that sells both to hotels and to butchers reports that the former has a 30 per cent decrease in their Tuesday orders while the retail trades and homes show only 12 1-2 per cent decrease. It is time every housewife was following the example set her by the hotels and public eating places and having definite "meatless" and "wheatless" days in her menage.

New friends are waiting to be entertained at your tables. "Cornmeal," "Oatmeal" and "Buckwheat" have been content to "fill in" in the past, but now they are demanding recognition of their social status. The United States Food Administration stands as sponsor and urges that you put these names upon your Food Friend list.

Wheat Saving Breads for Breakfast.
Cereal Muffins.
1 1-2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup cooked oatmeal, 1-2 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon vegetable oil.

Sift together the dry ingredients. Add the milk, beaten egg and melted fat to the cooked oatmeal. Beat in thoroughly. Finally add the sifted dry ingredients. Mix well. Bake in greased muffin pans about 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Other cooked cereals, mashed potatoes or squash may be used in this recipe. If the dough is too soft add a little more flour.

Spoon Bread.
2 cups water, 1 cup skim milk, 1 cup cornmeal, 1 tablespoon fat, 2 eggs, 2 teaspoons salt.

Mix water and cornmeal and bring to the boiling point and cook 5 minutes. Beat eggs well and add with the other ingredients to the mush. Beat well and bake in a well-greased pan for 25 minutes in a hot oven. Serve from the same dish with a spoon. This recipe makes enough for six.

Buckwheat Muffins.
2 cups buckwheat, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 3-4 teaspoon salt, 1 3-4 cups milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon melted shortening, 2 tablespoons molasses.

Sift together the dry ingredients.

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Combine the milk, beaten egg, melted fat and molasses. Add the liquid to the dry ingredients. Mix well and bake 25 to 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Flour or 1 cup of barley meal and 1 cup of wheat flour may be used in this recipe if the liquid is reduced to 1 to 1 1-4 cups.

DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK EDGAR COOPER DEAD

Passed Away at Our Savior's Hospital Thursday Evening After Brief Illness—Was Born Near Concord in 1884—Funeral Will Be Held at Concord.

Edgar Cooper, deputy county clerk died at Our Savior's hospital at 6 o'clock Thursday evening after an illness of one week. Mr. Cooper had been in failing health for some time but only entered the hospital for treatment a week ago.

Deceased was the son of James and Rosie Cooper and was born near Concord June 6, 1884. He grew to manhood in that vicinity and was educated in the public schools. He followed the occupation of farming and also taught school. Before assuming his duties as deputy county clerk he was engaged in the mercantile business in Concord.

Mr. Cooper was married to Miss Della Bayless of Concord and she survives together with one son. He also leaves his father and one sister and three brothers.

A year ago last December Mr. Cooper entered the office of County Clerk Boruff as deputy, succeeding C. W. Boston who had been elected to the office of circuit clerk. Mr. Cooper was obliging in his manner with those who had business in the office of the county clerk and won many friends thru his uniform courtesy. He was a member of Concord Methodist church and of the Masons. He took an active interest in the work of the church and commanded the respect of all with whom he came in contact.

The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of Williamson and Cody and prepared for burial. Friends who wish to view the remains before their removal to Concord may do so at the undertaking parlors after 11 o'clock today.

The body will be taken on the Burlington this afternoon and will be taken to the residence of Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bayless. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral, word being awaited from Mr. Cooper's father who is spending the winter in Florida.

TAKE WARNING
Wards Insurance Agency will care for your insurance needs. 501 Ayers Bank Bldg., Ill. Phone 372.

AGED RESIDENT OF WHITE HALL DEAD

E. M. Prindle Died at Home Friday—Resided in White Hall for Nearly Half Century.

White Hall, Jan. 10.—E. M. Prindle, one of the oldest citizens of this place, passed away at his home here today. Mr. Prindle, who was about seventy years of age, had been in poor health for some time. He spent many years of his life as a resident of White Hall and in 1871 had the distinction of being the first principal of the White Hall high school. Later he moved to Plainfield, Kansas, where he edited a newspaper and was a banker there for some years. For the last few years he has engaged in farming in Minnesota but recently returned to White Hall. He is survived by a widow and several children. He was a member of the Presbyterian church of White Hall and affiliated with the Masonic fraternity. Funeral announcements will be made later.

A delayed shipment of ladies' Fur Scarfs and Muffs are offered at greatly reduced prices by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

Mrs. Emma Smith of Springfield expects to return home today after a visit in Jacksonville with her sister, Mrs. Martha Story, on North Diamond street, and her brother, W. T. Spires on South Clay avenue.

Mrs. Phoebe Hitt, who has been spending several months in Jacksonville at the home of her niece, Mrs. George L. Merrill, left yesterday for Concord, Miss. After a brief stay there Mrs. Hitt will go to the home of her son in Boise, Idaho.

"TWIN BEDS," REMARKABLE COMEDY TONIGHT.
A. S. Stern and Company, the enterprising theatrical firm whose name is synonymous with success, will provide a treat for local theatre goers at the Grand tonight when they will present for the first time in this city their latest popular offering, "Twin Beds." This irresistibly human play of life among apartment house dwellers, was written by Salisbury Field and Margaret Mayo, and is a clean and adroitly woven exploitation of the dramatic difficulties the jealousies, the suspicions and the amazing adventures of three married couples who occupy apartments in the same building in a fashionable section of New York City. Messrs. Stern and Company have provided an admirably company of players.

Attention is called to the meeting of the Congregational church brotherhood in the church parlors this evening. Supper at 6:30 and afternoon address by H. H. Bancroft on a timely theme.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. McLaughlin, who were married New Year's day at Rock Island, have come to Jacksonville after a brief wedding trip. They are temporarily located at 1203 South East street.

FRANKLIN INDEES SMOTHER HIGH SCHOOL

Took High School Boys Into Camp By a Score of 39 to 12—Bubb Funeral Will Be Held from Methodist Church Sunday.

Franklin, Jan. 10.—Franklin high school was smothered by the Franklin Independents at Marquette hall Thursday evening the final score being 39 to 12 in favor of the Independents. But for the fact most of the Independents played out of their regular positions the score probably would have been considerably larger. The score:

Independents	F.G.F.T. Totals
W. Teaney, f	4 0 8
Seymour, f	10 2 22
H. Teaney, c	1 0 2
Stewart, g	1 1 3
Wynn, g	2 0 4

Totals	18	3	39
High school	F.G.F.T. Totals		
B. Wood, f	3 0 6		
R. Wood, f	1 0 2		
Ryan, c	1 0 2		
McCready, g	0 0 0		
Bergsneider, g	0 0 0		
Calhoun, g	0 0 0		
Ranson, g	1 0 2		

Totals, 6 0 12
Referee—Gray; timer Woods; scorer, Prof. Mounce.

More Basketball Games
Two more basketball games are scheduled for Friday and Saturday evenings. Friday evening the high school will play Girard High in Marquette hall. Saturday evening the Independents will play the St. Joseph team of Springfield in Marquette hall. The St. Joseph's team is reputed to be one of the fastest teams in Springfield and the Independents are looking for a hard game.

Eastern Star Initiation
Members of the Eastern Star at a called meeting held Thursday evening initiated a class of nine candidates into the mysteries of the order. Those taking the work were: Mr. and Mrs. Ross Seymour, Mrs. S. M. Seymour, Miss Lina Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Spires, Miss Ona Gibson, Robert Gibson and Mrs. William Wells. Following the initiation a banquet was served and a number of talks made by members.

Mrs. Harry Kirby of Beardstown is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. R. Morris.

The funeral of Jacob Bubb will be held from the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. J. N. Jerman.

A delayed shipment of ladies' Fur Scarfs and Muffs are offered at greatly reduced prices by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

WITH THE SICK
John Henly who was so dreadfully injured in the accident at Booth, Missouri, is doing as well as could be expected, at Passavant hospital.

J. E. Hoffman, clerk of the Grand hotel, is recuperating well at Our Savior's hospital from his recent accident.

Mr. Ensley Moore, who has been confined to his home by illness for the past ten days is steadily improving.

Contrary to expectations Dr. J. M. Elder has so far improved at Passavant hospital that he is able to sit up in bed and take his meals. For a time it seemed to be a question even of hours when he would pass away. He has certainly had admirable medical and hospital care.

ATTENTION KNIGHTS TEMPLAR
Hospitalier Commandery, No. 31, will hold a special convocation this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work. Visiting Knights welcome.

P. C. Coover, Com. John R. Phillips, Rec.

ELECTED OFFICERS
At a meeting held Thursday evening the Trades and Labor Assembly held its semi annual election of officers. The following were chosen: President—F. S. Mathews. Vice president—P. H. Lyons. Recording and corresponding secretary—Abe L. Wood. Financial secretary and treasurer—M. Heffernan. Sergeant-at-arms—Elmer Thompson.

CHANCERY SALE OF REAL ESTATE
A chancery sale of real estate will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, January 12th, at the court house in Jacksonville, Morgan county, Illinois 42 1/2 acres one and one-half miles west of Murray, Mo, occupied by Gussie Henry and also 11 acres adjoining the park at Nortonville, Ill.

J. W. JOHNSON, Heir.

MERE FOR HIS SISTERS FUNERAL
Frank Branstetter has arrived in the city from Camp Taylor for purpose of attending the funeral of his sister, who was killed at the Jacksonville State Hospital. As soon as he made known the facts to the commanding officer, the latter at once granted the young man's furlough.

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COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

The Second Christian church members are conducting a series of cottage prayer meetings in the north part of the city. Thursday evening a meeting was held at the residence of Aaron Smith of Cox street. Mr. Smith who is a well known citizen of the city had never become a member of any church. He confessed Christ at the meeting Thursday evening. A meeting will be held at the residence of George Florence of Ashland avenue tonight.

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BRIGGLE NAMED MASTER IN CHANCERY

Judge E. S. Smith of the circuit court has recently appointed Charles G. Briggie master in chancery in Sangamon county to succeed Thomas Sangamon who was appointed by the late James A. Creighton. Mr. Briggie is chairman of the Sangamon county Republican Central committee and is well known to many people in Morgan county. He has been serving as inheritance tax attorney for both Sangamon and Morgan counties under Attorney General Edward J. Brundage.



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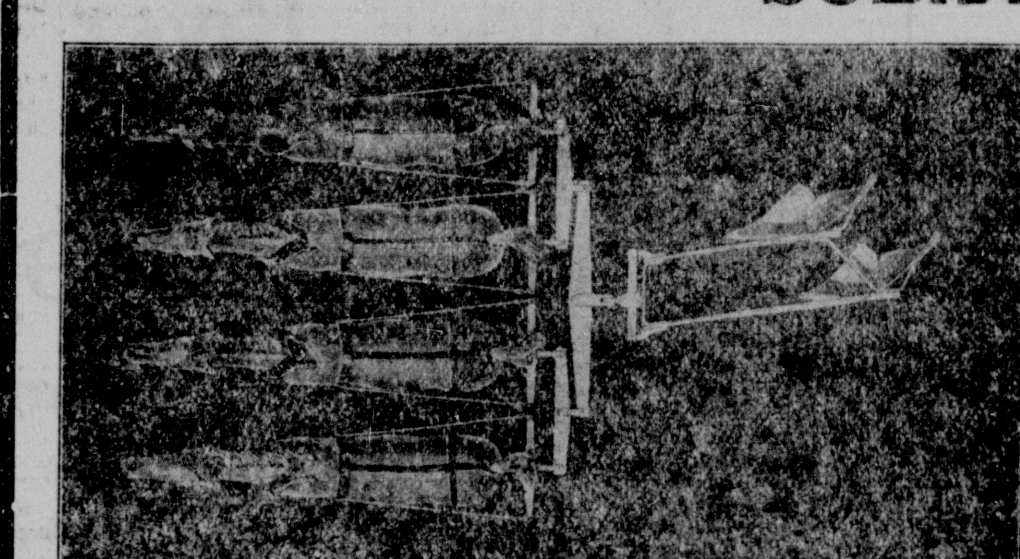
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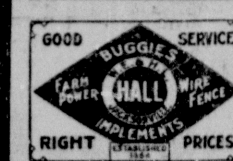
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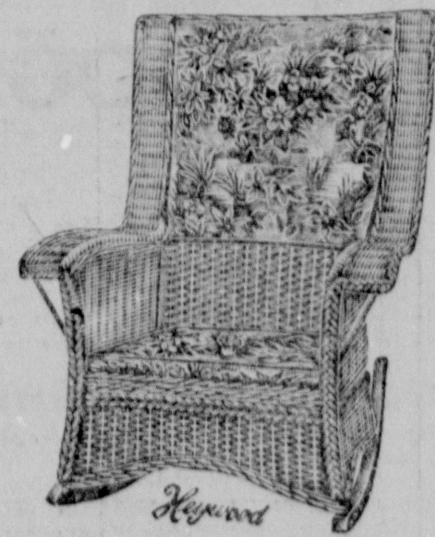
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Editor Journal:

It seems according to word from state headquarters that in order to have a home defense organization that each member will have to dig up and pay for his own uniform, pay armory rent, heat and light, etc. Well, that isn't so bad. It has been done before right in this old town and right in the piping times of peace, plenty and prosperity and when there was hardly any necessity for a military company.

In 1877 there were two companies here both belonging to the 5th Regiment, Ill. N. G. I was in command of Co. K for three years and in all that time the company paid armory rent, light and fuel and each member bought and paid for his own uniform. Whenever we went on a junket out of town we dug down into our jeans and paid traveling expenses individually, patriotically and willingly. All this was just forty years ago. If you doubt this statement ask Harry Cobb, water superintendent; Wm. H. Stull, Frank Stringham, Otto Eckles, Wm. Carson, and perhaps others of the old Jacksonville Light Guards who may yet be living in the city. As I remember each member paid his assessment each month at the rate of 50 cents. Of course it was rather an expensive luxury but we were fond of luxuries and paid for them in the good old coin of the realm. The guns we used were the old Springfield breech loaders and I had to furnish a \$2,500 bond for the privilege of using them. We were only called into the state's service once, and that was during the great railroad strike in 1877, when we went to East St. Louis to suppress

disorder and protect railroad property. That was the only time the state paid us anything and that was for a half month and we had to wait for the legislature to make an appropriation to pay that. All other trips we paid for out of our own pockets. While I presume the other company did the same I am only prepared to speak for the company I had the honor to command. My commission as captain was signed by Governor John L. Beveridge, and Hiram Hilliard, adjutant general, both veterans of the civil war.

What was done then can be done today. So get into the game while getting is good for you can't tell how soon you may be needed to strike for all that you love best, the same being your own home and fireside.

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SENATOR PAGE 75 YEARS OLD
Washington, Jan. 10.—This is the seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of Carroll S. Page, United States senator from Vermont, who came in for many congratulations from his colleagues and other friends. Senator Page is one of the veterans of the upper house in point of service as well as in age. Prior to his election to the senate in 1903, to fill an unexpired term, he had seen long service in public life as a member of the Vermont legislature and as governor of his State. When he came up for election to the full term in 1910 he had the distinction of being elected on the Republican ticket, with the support of every Democrat in the Vermont legislature. In 1916 he was re-elected by vote of the people. His present term will expire in 1923, when he will be in his eightieth year.

AGED SCOTT COUNTY MAN DIED WEDNESDAY

Daniel W. Mills Passed Away at Home Near Bluffs After Long Illness—Red Cross Holds Election—Schroeder Funeral Today.

Bluffs, Jan. 10.—Daniel W. Mills, one of Scott county's most prominent and prosperous farmers passed away at his home 2½ miles southeast of town early Wednesday morning after an illness of 8 months aged 69 years, 5 months and 23 days. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mills and the last of a family of eight children. His entire life was spent at the Mills homestead where he followed the occupation of farming. Nov. 24th, 1874 he was united in marriage to Miss Nellie Mills of Exeter who preceded him to the life beyond Aug. 3, 1917. One son has also preceded him in death. Two sons, Clifford of Winchester and Croney, who resides at home, survive. As a citizen and farmer Mr. Mills had high ideals and the Mills stamp was always a guarantee of quality. In his younger years he always took great interest in the little district school, "Apple Pie Ridge," which he was one of the influential directors for many years. He always favored any movement that was for the uplift or betterment of the community in which he lived. He belonged to the order of M. W. A.

Funeral services will be held at the family residence at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. The Rev. Caseley of Winchester, assisted by Elder Scott Peake of Exeter will have charge of the service. Interment will be made at the Exeter cemetery.

The local chapter of the Red Cross held a special session Tuesday night for the purpose of electing a secretary of the work room made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. E. L. Kendall, who was urged to accept the secretaryship and by popular vote was elected. The Red Cross officers are as follows:

E. D. Beird, president of the local chapter.

E. L. Kendall, secretary.
Mrs. August Schroeder died at her home north of town Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, aged 53 years. She was in her usual health until four weeks ago when she received a fall dislocating her shoulder, the shock from which she never recovered. She was a faithful member of the Lutheran church and also a worker in the societies of the church. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Henry of Chapin, J. J. and Minnie, who reside at home. Funeral services will be held Friday at 12 o'clock at the Lutheran church in Meredosia, the Rev. P. A. Soerensen officiating. Burial will take place at the Oaklark cemetery at Meredosia.

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SILVER WEDDING OF ROMANIAN RULERS

London, Jan. 10.—With their country ravished by the Germans and themselves driven into exile, it is not likely that their Majesties, the King and Queen of Roumania, will indulge in any celebration today in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. With their children and a small band of devoted followers, King Ferdinand and Queen Marie are now in residence at Jassy, whither they fled when their capital, Bucharest, fell to the Austro-Germans in the autumn of 1916.

Of late there has been little news received here from Roumania. By way of Petrograd there has come news of successful German propaganda among the Roumanian troops, of an agreement for an armistice on the eastern front, and of a revolutionary plot against King Ferdinand. It being added that the King had decided to abdicate his throne in favor of his son, Crown Prince Charles.

England possesses a personal interest in the fate of the Roumanian royal family, since Queen Marie is a granddaughter of the late Queen Victoria and a first cousin of King George. She was born in England and passed her girlhood in this country. Her father was the Duke of Edinburgh, second son of Queen Victoria, and who later became Duke of Sax-Coburg and Gotha. Her mother was the Grand Duchess Marie of Russia.

The marriage of Princes Marie and Prince Ferdinand, as he then was, took place on this date 25 years ago at Sigmaringen, Ferdinand belonging to the family of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen, and consequently closely related to the present German Emperor. The marriage was one of state, for Prince Ferdinand was said to be still suffering from an affair of the heart over a very beautiful maid of honor when it was arranged. Princess Marie, who was ten years younger than he, set out to win his affections by the rather hazardous means of pretending interest in others. This roused the jealousy, and finally the love, of Ferdinand, for she was quite as beautiful as the charmer whom she had supplanted, and quite as clever. The result was that in short order he had completely capitulated, and it is said that ever since then she has exerted a remarkable influence over him.

It is the general belief here that Roumania would never have cast in her lot with the Allies but for the influence of Queen Marie over her husband. The King, a German by birth and blood, is known to have always entertained a strong feeling of admiration for the German Emperor and the German army. The Queen, on the other hand, has always been strongly anti-German. Her anti-German sentiment was probably acquired in the years she spent in Germany, for the Kaiser as the over-lord of her father, the Duke of Sax-Coburg and Gotha, is said to have frequently interfered in a very high-handed manner with the affairs of the duchy.

A FEARFUL ACCIDENT

A recent Kalamazoo, Mich., paper contains an account of a dreadful accident which took place in that city. A motorbus containing eight people was run down by a Michigan Central train which killed three and injured the others.

Among the occupants were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mahoney and their little son Charles five years old. Mrs. Mahoney, the boy and a lady named Howell were instantly killed and the other five were more or less injured but none fatally.

It seems the motorbus was approaching the tracks of the road at ten in the evening and the driver claimed he halted when near the tracks and could hear no train and was unable to see the up or down the road on account of buildings so he drove on just in time to be caught by a fast train.

Ford Mahoney was reared in this place and he and his wife have visited here. He was a brother of Fred Mahoney, so long a baker in this place and who moved to Kalamazoo a few years ago.

AN AGED LADY INJURED

A short time since the venerable Mrs. Sarah Burge fell on an icy walk and broke her left hip. The accident occurred near the store of her son, corner South Church and Anna streets where she now lies helpless. Owing to her advanced age recovery is a matter of doubt.

A RISING YOUNG MAN

Rev. E. E. Violet has recently been called to the Independent church at Kansas City, and has accepted for a year. The church is one of the largest, and most influential in the metropolis of western Missouri. Mr. Violet was reared in the vicinity of Riggston and when boy had very few advantages and didn't give promise of any great future being like most sons of poor parents compelled to work for what he had from day to day.

One day some friends induced him to attend a Sunday school convention at Manchester and then and there he began to have a vision and ambitions for the future. He went resolutely to work to get an education and succeeded and felt called to the ministry. He soon rose in his profession and for some years has been very successful as an evangelist. He has traveled extensively both in this country and foreign lands and while yet it was accessible and his mind has been greatly enriched by his experiences. He lectures much on his travels and in various ways has attained a great popularity. His career is indeed a sample of what an energetic, capable young man may accomplish in this free land of ours.

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Peninsular Cabinet Gas Stove, full size, double oven, porcelain oven door—worth \$25.00. Sale price **\$16.75**
3 Burner Oil Stove, high grade and worth \$16.00. Sale price **\$11.00**
Oval 4-inch flame, 18x40 French plate Parlor Mirrors, worth up to \$12.50. Choice **\$6.90**

BUFFETS

Fumed oak Buffet, good size and of first class make; would be a good value at \$25. Sale price **\$18.50**
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CHINA CLOSETS

Quartered oak Bent glass China Closet, good size—high grade in material and finish; worth \$20. Sale price **\$14.95**
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All oak Princess, full size, 18x40 French mirror. This piece would cost you today \$22.50. Sale price **\$16.25**
Small size all quartered oak Princess Dresser—18 3/4 French mirror. First quality worth \$18.50. Now **\$11.75**
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45-inch pedestal, fumed oak Table, good construction, 6 ft. extension, a good \$16 value. Sale price **\$11.25**
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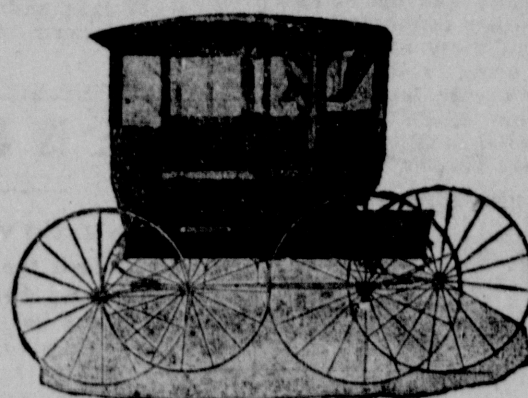
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Journal, either mail or bring your reply
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dressed will call for your answer. The
names and addresses of parties placing
"blind" ads in this paper will not be
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only.

ADS TAKEN OVER TELEPHONE
The Journal will take Want Ads over
the phone as an accommodation to our
subscribers with the understanding that
collection can be made for the same the
next day. If you phone a Want Ad over
the phone, advertiser can have ad placed
back over the phone on telephone orders.

WANTED

WANTED—Well digging and clean-
ing. Call both phones 319. 1-10-3t

WANTED—Baled wheat straw and
stalk fields for cattle. J. W. Ar-
nold. 12-15-tf

WANTED—Rooms, modern for light-
housekeeping. Address D. care
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WANTED TO RENT—Modern,
furnished light house keeping
rooms with use of garage. Phone
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WANTED—By experienced hand
some washings to take home. Mrs.
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WANTED—To borrow \$3,000.00 at
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6% on gilt edged farm loan. C.
O. Bayha, room 4, Unity Bldg.
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HELP WANTED
WANTED—Experienced white wo-
man for cook. Apply Passavant
Hospital. 12-22-tf

WANTED—Man office assistant. One
with some experience preferred.
Swift and Company, Produce De-
partment. 1-6-tf

WANTED—Man, good with stock,
to work on farm. Give refer-
ences. Address "Man" care Jour-
nal. 12-30-tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for
cooking and housework. Small
family, \$30 per month. Address
at once, Miss Hopkins, 4551 La-
crosse Ave., St. Louis. 1-11-6t

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FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cher-
ry's Annex. 1-3-tf

FOR RENT—Houses always. The
Johnston Agency. 1-1-tf

FOR RENT—5 room cottage. Apply
345 East Chambers St. 12-30-tf

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street. 1-8-6t

FOR RENT—4 room house near
square. No modern Dr. Baker. 1-8-tf

FOR RENT—231 W. State Red
Cross Shop; also 8 room house.
Apply 302 N. Church. 1-9-6t

FOR RENT—7 room modern house,
steam heated. Apply South Side
Planning Mill. 12-15-tf

FOR RENT—Six room Modern
h use, west side. Call Illinois
phone 1180. 12-4-tf

FOR RENT—5 room cottage cor-
ner Diamond and Lafayette ave. Call
Ill. tele. 573. 12-30-tf

FOR RENT—Modern room, west
end; board if desired. Address X,
care Journal. 1-5-6t

FOR RENT—4 room house and
barn. Apply 761 Hardin avenue. 1-4-tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house with
barn, 460 South East street. 1-5-tf

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close in. Hodgson and Ledford.
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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
housekeeping rooms. Separate en-
trances, 329 South Clay. 12-13-1mo.

FOR RENT—8 room house, 137
Spaulding Place; furnace heat,
gas, electricity. Apply 116 Spauld-
ing Place. Ill. phone 50-691. 1-3-tf

FOR RENT—160 acres 2 1/4 miles
from railroad station. 5 room
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flowing well; either cash or grain
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FOR SALE—Butter milk, 2 cents
gallon. Swift and Co. 1-10-2t

FOR SALE—Home grown early Ohio
potatoes. D. S. Taylor, Ill. phone
60-86. 1-2-tf

FOR SALE—Columbia Graphophone
and records, 333 East College Ave.
Ill phone 50-869. 1-6-7t

FOR SALE—About 30 shoats. Illi-
nois phone 1072. 1-11-3t

FOR SALE—A Ford runabout at
Leggett's Blacksmith shop. 1-11-1t

FOR SALE—Young family horse
and single wagon. 1100 West
Morton Ave. 1-9-3t

FOR SALE—Two young calves and
one male hog. L. N. James, Illi-
nois phone 86. 1-6-tf

FOR SALE—Cheap 5 room house,
large lot. Good terms. Apply 505
Chambers st. 8-3-7t

FOR SALE—Good all purpose
horse and storm buggy. Harry E.
Johnson, Morton road. Illinois
phone 50-1302. 1-8-4t

FOR SALE—Fresh cows, extra good
ones. F. V. Correa & Co., Man-
chester, Ill. 12-21-tf

FOR SALE—Potatoes and turnips,
delivered. L. N. James, Ill. phone
86. 12-16-tf

FOR SALE—Practically new Fav-
rite base burner. Ill. phone 50-
1486. 1-11-3t

I HAVE FOR SALE a very fine two
sleigh, with chime bells for the
harness. Wm. A. Kirby, Ill.
phone 427. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—Two pure bred and one
high grade Guernsey bull calves.
old enough for service. Will ex-
change for springing cows or heif-
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Ill. 1-6-tf

FOR SALE—180 acres farm, well
improved, good house and barn,
three miles from Jacksonville,
\$125 per acre, part cash, time on
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Scarfs and Muffs, Natural
Lynx Scarfs and Muffs, Kol-
inky Sets, and other desirable
Furs just received. Priced ex-
tra low. FRANK BYRNS' Hat
Store.**

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE
MEETING.
Seattle, Wash., Jan. 10.—Business
of more than ordinary importance
faced the magnates of the North-
western Baseball league when they
went into session here today for
their annual meeting. Plans are un-
der consideration to strengthen the
league with a view to making it
the premier baseball organization on
the Pacific coast, an honor held heret-
ofore by the Pacific Coast league.
The latter organization has with-
drawn from the Northwest and will
begin the coming season with a cir-
cuit made up wholly of California
cities, with the single exception of
Salt Lake City.

BILLIARD PLAYERS IN
TITLE TOURNEY.
Boston, Mass., Jan. 10.—Eight of
the foremost amateur billiard players
of this section are entered in the
18.2 ballline tournament scheduled
for Monday night under the aus-
pices of the New England Billi-
ard Players. This association was
formed last year and the present
tournament will be its first cham-
pionship meeting.

RIOT CASES SETTLED
LOST and FOUND

LOST—A cameo ring setting; also
button from fur coat. Reward will
be paid for return to this office.
1-9-3t

HOME MARKET
GROCERS PAY
Butter, 75c per bushel.
Potatoes, \$1.50 per bushel.
Onions, \$1.25 per bushel.
Spring chickens, 3c each per pound.
Butter, 45c per pound.
Eggs, 50c per dozen.
Lard, 30c per pound.

COMMISSION MEN PAY
Poultry Prices—
Hens, heavy, 13c
Hens, light, 12c
Spring, smooth, 13c
Stags, 13c
Geese, 13c
No. 1 Turkeys, 13c
No. 2 Turkeys, 12c
Guinea, 25c
Eggs, 45c
No. 1 Corn, 15c
No. 2 Corn, 14c
Packing Stock Butcher, 30c
The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is now
paying 50c for Butter Fat.

HAY AND GRAIN
Timothy Hay, per bale, 4.50
Alfalfa Hay, per bale, 4.50
Clover Hay, per bale, 4.50
Clover Hay, per ton, 45.00
Alfalfa Hay, per bale, 4.50
Oats, per bushel, 1.25
Barley, 1.25
Cracked Corn, old, per cwt., 1.25
Coarse Corn Meal, 1.25
Middlings, 1.25
S. Feed, 1.25
Corn, 1.25

LOST—A city arrival
from Alexander yesterday.

MANY PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED
Rockford, Ill., Jan. 9.—David R.
Forgan, Jr., Howard A. Brundage,
and Frank Gerould, of Chicago, and
Allen C. Brophy, of Elgin, were
among the fifty-three second lieuten-
ants whose promotion to first
lieutenant was announced today at
Camp Grant. Captain Edwin Allen
was made a major.

SPRING FLOOD GAS INCREASE
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 9.—An ap-
plication for an increase in gas rates
from 85 cents a thousand cubic feet
to one dollar, net, affecting Moline
and Rock Island, was filed with the
public utilities committee by the Peo-
ples' Power company today. An or-
der was entered suspending the pro-
posed rates until May 5 pending a
hearing.

East Moline and Silvis, in Rock Is-
land county, also would be affected.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET
St. Louis, Jan. 10.—Corn—195c higher;
demand good; No. 2 1 1/2; No. 3 1 1/2; No.
4 1 1/2; No. 5 1 1/2; No. 6 1 1/2; No. 7 1 1/2;
sample grade 1 1/2; No. 3 yellow 1 1/2;
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Neighbor Told Her Cure for Lumbago

Rheumatism and lumbago are awful things and cause great pain and misery, but Foley Kidney Pills can root them out.

Mrs. G. H. Ireland, Duncan Mills, Ill., writes the following letter: "I was stricken down with lumbago and was unable to turn myself in bed. A neighbor brought me a half bottle of Foley Kidney Pills, and said she had been similarly afflicted and that they had helped her. So I tried them and was completely relieved by the use of two or three bottles. I have had splendid success with them and have never known them to fail. I most heartily recommend Foley Kidney Pills."

Foley Kidney Pills tone up weak, inactive, sluggish kidneys, rid the body of poisons, give appetite, energy and refreshing sleep after pain. Don't neglect kidney trouble. Remove the cause with Foley Kidney Pills.

City Drug Store,
J. A. Obermeyer

Awaiting Motherhood

Women, almost without exception, are prone to nervous apprehension when on the road to motherhood. A woman knows that however many people there are close or dear to her, she must face the crisis alone.

There is nothing to-day prepared for women at such a time that receives such heartfelt expressions of gratitude as does the absolutely safe, tried and reliable preparation, "Mother's Friend."

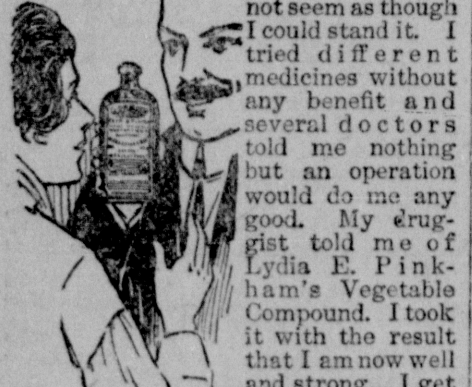
In the use of this penetrating massage, the expanding muscles of the abdomen relax naturally when baby arrives. The nervous, irritable, and nervous tendency to the skin are avoided, and the tendency to morning nausea is avoided, and the expectant mother enjoys days of cheerfulness. The nights are not disturbed with nervous twinges and the crisis is one of great happiness and less pain.

Get a bottle from the druggist and write the Bradford Regulator Co., Dept. N, 200 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga., for their interesting little book, "Motherhood and the Baby." It will be sent without charge to any woman. "Mother's Friend" is a wonderful help to nature. A woman should fail, by any chance, to her health night and morning.

WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

Perru, Ind.—"I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different medicines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My druggist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."



—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 38 West 10th St., Wren, Ind.
Women who suffer from any such ailments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For a Chafed Skin
Over 100,000 people have proven that nothing relieves the soreness like **Sykes Comfort Powder**. One box proves its extraordinary healing power. Flea people take notice. It is sold at the Vinal and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

SECRETARY BAKER REPLIES TO CRITICISM OF DEPARTMENT'S CONDUCT OF THE WAR

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consisted of 65 officers and 1,120 men. On the first day of January, 1918, it consisted of 3,900 officers and 82,120 men.

"This division of the war department was charged by congress with the expenditure of an appropriation for 1918, \$744,000,000.

The Engineer Department, which in 1917 \$53,000,000 was appropriated, was charged by the 1918 appropriation with the expenditure of \$390,000,000, or about seven hundred per cent increase.

"There have been organized, trained and equipped technical troops of foresters, stevedores and railroad construction and operation men, aggregating about 120,000, many of whom have been operating in France for months."

Chief Accomplishments. Summing up the war department's work the secretary gave the following as its chief accomplishments:

"1. A large army is in the field and in training; so large that further increments to it can be adequately equipped and trained as rapidly as those already in training can be transported."

"2. The army has been enlisted and selected without serious dislocation of the industries of the country."

"3. The training of the army is proceeding rapidly and its spirit is high. The subsistence of the army has been above criticism; its initial clothing supply, temporarily inadequate is now substantially complete and reserves will rapidly accumulate. Arms of the most modern and effective kind—including artillery, machine guns, automatic rifles, and small arms—have been provided by manufacture or purchase, for every soldier in France, and are available for every soldier who can be gotten to France in the year 1918."

"4. A substantial army is already in France where both men and officers have been additionally and specially trained and are ready for active service."

"5. Independent lines of communication and supply and vast storage and other facilities are in process of construction in France."

"6. Great programs for the manufacture of additional equipment and for the production of new instruments of war have been formulated."

"I make this statement," continued the secretary, "fully aware that there have been produced before members of this committee some expressions of doubt, difference of opinion, and disapproval. The war department has spent eight months hearing similar expressions, analyzing them, correcting the conditions out of which they grew, perfecting its organization to prevent their recurrence; and all the while driving on to the accomplishment of the main task."

Two Significant Figures

"In the foregoing statement there are two exceedingly significant figures; namely, that on the first day of April the ordnance department consisted of 97 officers and the quartermaster-general's department of 347 officers, while they now respectively comprise 3,004 and 6,431 officers. There was no ready trained body of men in the country who could have been selected suddenly to assume the highly technical and specialized work of these two divisions. Men of somewhat similar training had to be chosen. As the work proceeded, subdivision and re-subdivision became possible."

General Re-organization
"On Dec. 15, I was, therefore, in a position to announce a general re-organization/ accomplishing the following results:

"1. Created a war council upon which General Crozier, General Sharpe, General Weaver, General Crowder and the chief of staff have been designated to sit with the secretary of war and the assistant secretary of war and to which council men of capacity, either from the army or from civil life, will be added from time to time. The purpose of the council is that its members, being free from the burdens of detail administration, can take a large supervisory view of all questions of organization and supply, and give

to the government the highest value of their talents and experience."

"2. Under General Wheeler, with the advice of his military assistants and of industrial experts, the machinery of the ordnance department is being thoroughly reorganized in preparation for the new phase of its work upon which it is now entering. Its several operations will be conducted under the direction either of officers already in the service who are now in a position to give their entire energies to their administration or by men specially chosen from civil life because of their experience and capacity."

"The quartermaster-general's department is in process of similar reorganization and subdivision under General Goethals, who enjoys the unique experience of having worked out at the Panama canal problems of transportation and supply of a magnitude never until now approached in the history of our government."

"Here also the efficiency of the department is being strengthened by the calling from civil life of men of the highest capacity to administer certain of its great subdivisions."

"A new view of the work of the Council of National Defense and of the war industries board is now possible."

Without Executive Power.

"The Council of National Defense is, of course, an advisory body without executive power. Its members have severally the powers of their respective departments. The purpose of the council, however, was a reconciliation of conflicts and a survey of the national needs and resources. This purpose it has served and is serving. The general reunions board and its successor, the war industries board, with their committees, were organized by the council for the following purposes:

"1. Assign priorities as among the several departments of the government and the allied governments in their demands upon the industries of the country."

"2. Advise as to supplies of materials and labor."

"3. Advise on the questions of price."

"4. Secure industrial and labor co-operation."

"5. Avoid enhancement of prices, confusion of industry, exhaustion of labor, and generally to prevent all avoidable evils which might result from the speed and magnitude of the new operations."

"To these objects it was admirably adapted, and it has accomplished a great work."

"We can now see the entire situation. The initial rush needs are substantially supplied. The technical corps have been expanded and reorganized upon industrial and efficient lines."

"The co-ordination of ally needs with our own purchases has been effected. An agency exists to prevent conflicts and to adjust those which cannot be prevented."

Takes Up Subject of Rifles.
After Secretary Baker finished his statement, Chairman Chamberlain took up the subject of rifles.

Abandonment of the Springfield rifle and adoption of the modified Enfield, he said, has been much criticized.

Blames Ordnance Department.
"I think the delay was due to the action of the ordnance bureau in changing the type," said Secretary Baker. "I personally approved that change. I think the ordnance bureau acted right," adding that the delay to furnish a larger supply later on an improved arm, adding that all men sent to Europe had ample rifles and now all men in training are well supplied."

Several senators joined in questioning to show that rifle production models had in the end produced a much desired result. He pointed out that eight months after England went to war British soldiers were training in top hats and with walking sticks and insisted that American rifle production is now "so far ahead" that all men who will be called out will have enough.

A Difference of Opinion.
Turning to criticism of the machine gun situation, Senator Chamberlain said there was delay in ordering Lewis guns that had been used successfully by England.

"There was no delay after last April," replied Secretary Baker. "Yes, there was, Mr. Secretary," retorted the senator.

Secretary Baker continued by relating the machine gun controversy that existed when he became secretary.

Senator McKellar thought the delay was unreasonable.

"Well, it's a matter of judgment," said Mr. Baker.

Tells of Investigation Board.
Secretary Baker told of the board to investigate machine guns.

"The board's deliberations never delayed for one second the buying of any gun after last April," said Mr. Baker positively.

"The fact remains that nine months after the war cantonnments have none for training," said Senator McKellar.

"I wouldn't say none," Secretary Baker replied. "They have relatively few."

Before the war the largest machine gun program was 12,000 he added, while now 200,000 are required, with manufacture difficult and slow.

"Are you entirely satisfied so far as all ordnance is concerned, with the progress the department has made?" asked Senator Weeks.

"I don't say that the department might not have expedited some

phases of its work," Secretary Baker replied.

"In what have we failed?" The secretary hesitated and answered:

"I can't answer that way I can't pick out any particular place."

Senator Weeks asked if all available ammunition production facilities are being used.

"No, not all," said Secretary Baker, "but all will be when we need them."

When Senator Weeks again asked if he could suggest anything that would be helpful in speeding up ordnance production, Secretary Baker replied: "I can't think of anything that your work will help."

Whenever I've thought of anything I've done it, I'm up to date now."

Factors Federal Powder Plant.
Secretary Baker said he thought a federal powder plant advisable.

Senator Chamberlain referred to the DuPont offer to build and operate a plant at cost, but Secretary Baker explained the offer to build a plant for a commission of fifteen percent and operate it for 18 months. On the basis of a \$90,000,000 investment, he explained, the DuPonts would have made a gross profit of between \$20,000,000 and \$40,000,000.

"The present powder supplies adequate for our present needs," Secretary Baker said.

Senator New asked if there was any mistake of judgment when the Lusitania was sunk, in not beginning preparations for war.

"It would have been very wise," Mr. Baker replied, "if a dozen years ago the ordnance department had begun preparations. To be perfectly frank with you, I think General Crozier is not entirely to blame. In season and out, he has recommended ordnance expansion."

Secretary Baker denied that the first American contingents sent abroad were not completely equipped.

Secretary Baker assented to Senator Wadsworth's statement that the war was a competition of industries, and that which ever produced the most materials and men would wear out the opposition.

"That is the present aspect of it," he said.

Operations of Supply System.
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To Our Farmer Friends!

Be sure and look over your farm implements and be prepared for the future. Our past experience has proven, and we know, that the shortage this coming season will be most exasperating, not only on the regular line, but repairs. Shipments are going to be slow and orders are going to be held up in a way that will try our patience very severely. So, why not help expedite matters by ordering early?

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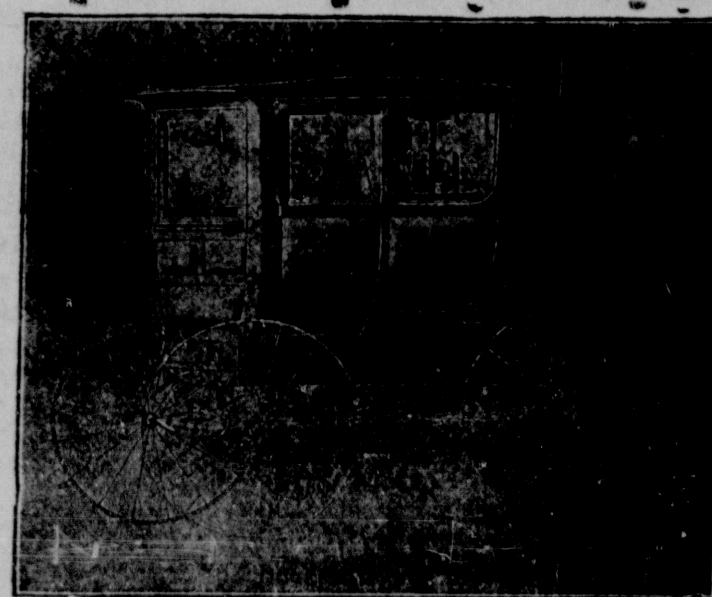
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WAR WORKERS URGED TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Morgan County Auxiliary Committee
Receives Notice of War Conference
Called by State Council of Defense
—Will Open in Chicago Monday,
January 14.

The Morgan County Auxiliary Committee of State Council of Defense has received a communication from the officers of the state organization to the effect that a war conference is to be held in Chicago, Monday, January 14th, and Tuesday, January 15th, which all war workers are urged to attend. The following is the official notice:

Call for War Conference
By direction of the Council of National Defense, a general Illinois War Conference is hereby called by the State Council of Defense of Illinois in Chicago Monday and Tuesday, January 14 and 15, 1918.

An official message from the government at Washington on the necessities of the war and how to meet them, and from the associates of the United States in the war, will be delivered to the conference by Sir Frederick E. Smith, Bart., K. C., M. P., Attorney-General of Great Britain; Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior; Dr. J. A. B. Scherer, president of the Troop Institute of Pasadena, California, representing the Council of National Defense; and Arthur E. Bestor, chairman of the Speaking Division of the Committee on Public Information.

This call is particularly and officially addressed to all persons and organizations engaged in any kind of work in Illinois pertaining to the war under the direction of any branch of the national government, and to the members of all advisory, auxiliary and subsidiary committees created by, working under the direction of, or co-operating with the State Council of Defense.

To all organizations and institutions which are carrying on patriotic work of any kind in Illinois, independent of the national government or the State Council of Defense this call is addressed as a cordial and urgent invitation to participate in the general Illinois War Conference.

The conference will open Monday, January 14, at 2 p. m., with a joint meeting of all participants. The afternoon program will include addresses by Dr. J. A. B. Scherer and Arthur E. Bestor. Secretary Lane for the United States and Sir Frederick E. Smith for the Allies will address the conference at an evening meeting, January 14, at Medinah Temple.

All of Tuesday will be devoted to divisional conferences for consideration of the various forms of war work now going on, and for discussion and action upon ways and means for making that work more effective.

By order of the State Council of Defense.

Samuel Insull, Chairman.

John P. Hopkins, Sec'y.

All persons in Morgan county who are connected with the various organizations and institutions engaged in carrying on patriotic work of any kind are requested to attend this conference.

M. F. Dunlap, Chairman.

C. A. Johnson, Secretary.

PAYMENTS OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Funds of City of Jacksonville, Illinois

Notice is hereby given that the following special assessment bonds are called for payment according to law at the office of the city treasurer at the Ayers National Bank, City of Jacksonville, Ill., on Feb. 10, 1918, and that interest on the following bonds will close on that date:

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Assessment No. 125

Bond No. 14, series 5, installment

No. 6—\$200.00.

Mound Avenue Pavement

Assessment No. 134

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No. 1—\$1000.00.

Bond No. 2, series No. 2, installment

No. 2—\$1000.00.

Bond No. 3, series No. 2, installment

No. 2—\$1000.00.

Bond No. 4, series No. 2, installment

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Charles B. Graff,

City Treasurer.

Dated January 10, 1918.

Misses Elsie Palmer and Rosa Sullivan have returned from Indianapolis, Ind., and Louisville, Ky. While in Kentucky they visited Camp Taylor, where they met five of the boys from home.

RISE OF GEN. BULLARD.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—Major General Robert L. Bullard, who has been appointed to succeed Major General William L. Sibert as commanding officer of the first division of American troops sent to France to serve under General Pershing, is one of the officers whom the present war has served to bring rapidly to the front. At the beginning of the conflict he held the rank of colonel. When war was declared he was included in the list of colonels promoted to be brigadier-generals, and a few months later he was raised to the rank of major-general.

Few officers of the United States Army, if any, have had a more excellent training than Gen. Bullard. He is a native of Alabama, 58 years old, and was graduated from the West Point academy at the age of 20. As a line officer he served with the Tenth United States Infantry for 17 years.

At the beginning of the war between the United States and Spain, in 1898, he was made a captain in the Commissary Department, but immediately afterwards became colonel of the Third Alabama Infantry. Later he became colonel of the Thirtieth United States Volunteer Infantry with whom he served in the Philippines.

He was transferred from the staff to the line, and as colonel of the Twenty-Sixth United States Infantry he was stationed in Texas during the troubles along the Mexican border in 1916. He is a graduate of the Army War College.

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WILSON ACCEPTS EMMET STATUE.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—In the presence of a distinguished gathering of invited guests, President Wilson today accepted in behalf of the nation a miniature bronze replica of the heroic statue of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot, given to the American people last June by the Robert Emmet Statue Association, and which now occupies a pedestal in the rotunda of the National Museum in this city.

Senator Phelan of California headed the committee named by the association to make the presentation of the replica. Judge Victor J. Dowling of New York, president of the association, made the presentation speech and President Wilson replied in a brief address.

The statue and its replica have the distinction of being the first pieces of sculpture wholly and distinctively American, to be placed in the National Museum. Under the supervision of the sculptor, Jerome Connor, an American citizen, the born in Ireland, each was cast from American standard bronze at the Washington Navy Yard; and material and labor on the finished product are of American origin and citizenry.

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NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE MEETING.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 10.—Business of more than ordinary importance faced the magnates of the Northwestern Baseball league when they went into session here today for their annual meeting. Plans are under consideration to strengthen the league with a view to making it the premier baseball organization on the Pacific coast, an honor held heretofore by the Pacific Coast league. The latter organization has withdrawn from the Northwest and will begin the coming season with a circuit made up wholly of California cities, with the single exception of Salt Lake City.

BILLIARD PLAYERS IN TITLE TOURNEY.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 10.—Eight of the foremost amateur billiard players of this section are entered in the 18.2 balkline tournament scheduled to open in Boston tonight under the auspices of the New England Association of National Amateur Billiard Players. This association was formed last year and the present tournament will be its first championship meeting.

RIOT CASES SETTLED

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 9.—All riot cases as a result of the big street car strike here last July 7, were today settled in court. Most of them were nolle, but three rioters entered pleas of guilty and were fined \$100 and a fourth was fined \$25 on a plea of guilty. Those fined are Walter Lambrecht, Benjamin Coquette, M. Opal Doty and Thomas Madden.

CHOSEN FOR THEOLOGICAL PROFESSORSHIP

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 9.—Rev. Emil Zapf of Chicago today was chosen for a theological professorship at Concordia Theological Seminary here by the board of electors of the college in special session. He is prominent in Lutheran circles and pastor of a Lutheran church at Maywood.

WEINERT WINS DECISION

Providence, R. I., Jan. 9.—Charlie Weinert of New York won the decision over Gunboat Smith in a twelve round bout here tonight.

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Chapin, Jan. 10.—The Chapin Woman's club met with Mrs. Phoebe Scott at the home of Mrs. Elmer Sidles Tuesday, Jan. 8. There were fourteen members present and one guest, Mrs. Lydia Briggs. The roll call was answered by Current Events. Miss Margaret Egan gave a piano selection and Miss Myra Bobbitt sang a solo and Miss Helen Sidles gave a piano selection. A paper on the ex-Queen Liliokalani of Hawaiian Islands was read by Mrs. E. Nienheiser which was enjoyed by all. Light refreshments were served.

Master Junior Hallowell of Chicago is visiting his aunt, Mrs. B. J. Taylor. Mrs. L. Hallowell is expected in a few days.

The Methodist Protestant Ladies Aid Society are quilting at the home of Mrs. M. Antrobus this week.

Misses Amy Onken and Margaret Egan spent Wednesday in St. Louis.

A birthday party was given for Master Romanel Fountain Wednesday evening in honor of his eighth birthday. The evening was spent playing games. The children were delighted when they were invited to the dining room and saw an immense cake decorated with 8 candles. He received many little gifts in remembrance of the day.

A bunch of the Chapin High school pupils spent the evening with Verne and Barbara Smith Wednesday, Jan. 9. The evening was spent with music and dancing. All report a jolly good time.

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WHITE HALL WILL PLAY JACKSONVILLE TONIGHT

Greene County Aggregation Will Oppose Locals in David Prince Gymnasium—Visitors Said to be Strong—Curtain Raiser at 7:15.

White Hall will be Jacksonville High's opponent in basketball in David Prince gymnasium this evening. The Greene county aggregation is reported to be strong this year the they were recently defeated by Jerseyville.

However, this defeat was on the Jerseyville floor and Coach Hoover said last night that Jerseyville had a big advantage when playing at home. There will be a curtain raiser at 7:15 between the Jacksonville seconds and a picked team. The big game will start at 8 o'clock. Wed. del of the Y. M. C. A. will referee.

Jacksonville has been putting in some hard practice the past few days. Coach Hoover said yesterday that they were showing up strong and would be able to give a good account of themselves and also give White Hall a strong argument.

The lineup probably will be as follows at the start of the game: Reeve and Harney, forwards; Smith, center; Fierke and Green, guards; Lucas, Hobbit and Bento in reserve.

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THE OPEN AIR SCHOOL

Today is the day set for the opening and inspection of the open air school. The hours are from 3 to 5 in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening. All citizens are cordially invited to visit the school during these hours and inspect the plan and the method of operation.

Fred Harney helped represent Waverly in the city yesterday.

NIGHT FIRE DESTROYS JENKINSON & BODE PLANT

EXTENSIVE WHOLESALE GROCERY STOCK WIPED OUT BY RAGING FLAMES

Only One Wing of Big Building Saved — Losses Close to \$100,000 Figure with Adequate Insurance Protection — Firm Has Branch House at Beardstown and Will Open Here in Temporary Quarters—Snow Covered Roofs Aided Work of Saving Other Structures Near Burning Building.

Jacksonville began the fire record of 1918 with the heaviest loss sustained in years, when the building and stock of the Jenkinson-Bode Wholesale Grocery Co. was destroyed last night. The fire was discovered about 8 o'clock and had made such headway that six streams of water which played upon it had little effect.

The building is owned by W. A. Jenkinson and the stock by the Jenkinson-Bode Co., a corporation which began business five years ago last June. The stock carried is said to have been worth from \$80,000 to \$100,000 and is well protected by insurance. Mr. Jenkinson carried \$20,000 insurance on the building. The building consists of a main part about 60 by 80 feet in diameter with an ell at each end on the side and connected by a wide covered porch.

One Wing Intact

The only portion of the building intact is the north ell in which is stored a large quantity of green coffee. One reason it was possible to save this part of the building is the fact that when the coffee roaster was established there it was necessary to construct steel fire-proof doors. The north wall of the building is also fire-proof. In addition to more than a car load of green coffee in this ell, there was a quantity of breakfast food stock and some other groceries of that class.

Mr. Jenkinson and Mr. Bode were both on the scene early and stated last night that the business of the company will not be interrupted. A branch house is maintained at Beardstown which is fairly well stocked and temporary quarters will be immediately opened in Jacksonville in a building which will be rented and parts of the Jenkinson Haxby building on South West street will be utilized. The Jenkinson-Bode Co. employs twenty six people, of whom eight are salesmen, and it is understood that they will all be at work today. The fire when first discovered was confined to the basement and it was possible to remove the books, letters and files of the company, which are located in the office at the southwest corner of the building.

Began in Basement

Altho the fire was first discovered in the basement, it had made considerable headway and it was soon possible to pump from the south end all the great quantity of water this used had to come from the west side reservoir, and without doubt the register reading there this morning will show the water lower than it has been for a number of weeks past. The firemen in handling these six streams of water were assisted by many volunteers. It was a very hard fire to fight as is always true of a building of that general type of construction, with heavy brick walls and tin roof.

Building Erected 30 Years Ago

The main part of the building was erected about thirty years ago for the Jacksonville Knitting Factory, which flourished for a few years. After this business was closed out the building for a time was tenanted and it was then sold by Charles S. Rannels and the late James T. King to W. A. Jenkinson & Co. for the wholesale grocery business. Prior to that time the Jenkinson firm had occupied a frame building on South West street on the site of the present Jenkinson-Haxby building.

After moving into the brick quarters Mr. Jenkinson made extensive interior changes and then added an ell at the southwest corner and another at the northeast corner. The main building is about 60 by 80 feet in general dimensions and has a basement and three stories. The two additions are approximately 60 by 30 feet deep and each has a basement and two stories.

After conducting a successful business there for approximately twenty five years Mr. Jenkinson decided to retire from such active connection with the grocery business and sold out his stocks to the Jenkinson-Bode Co. He retained personal ownership of the building but became a shareholder and officer of the new corporation, altho his connection has been such as to permit his devoting most of his attention to other business.

New Company in 1912

The Jenkinson-Bode Co. incorporated with a capital of \$50,000 and began business in June, 1912. That business has grown steadily under the management of F. H. Bode, secretary of the company, and as previously stated, the company now has a total of twenty six employees, and the fact that a stock of goods worth nearly \$100,000 was carried indicates that an extensive business is being done. The officers of the Jenkinson-Bode Co. are W. A. Jenkinson of this city, president; George Meyer of St. Louis, vice president, and F. H. Bode, secretary and treasurer. These officers are directors and serve with H. A. Snell of the Litchfield Grocery Co. and W. M. Jageman of the Jageman-Bode Grocery Co. of Springfield. Mr. Meyer, who is the vice president of the company, is the president of the International bank of St. Louis and is

insurance on the stock here and took the same action with reference to the stock in the Beardstown branch. A car load of flour was unloaded yesterday and stored in the front part of the building, and a car load of sugar had been received earlier in the week. The general stock carried consists very largely of canned goods but includes also practically everything needed in a grocery store.

The firm also carried some lines not usual with a grocery stock as was indicated when a series of reports and explosions began. A considerable quantity of loaded shells was the occasion for the numerous "shots" fired and the fusillade continued for more than half an hour. In the same department where sugar and flour were stored there was a considerable quantity of wrapping paper and matches and the flames leaped up quickly when they came to these highly inflammable materials.

Six Streams of Water

When the firemen first reached the building they of course did not know the full extent of the fire and were prepared to use the chemical extinguishers. It was immediately seen, however, that for such a fire chemicals would avail little and as quickly as possible the two auto driven pumps were put to work. One of these was stationed at the corner of North and Mauvaisterre streets and the other at the southeast corner of the building.

Fire Chief Hunt is out of the city attending a convention at Joliet and James Hurst, acting chief, was in direction of the work of the firemen. William Catherwood was in charge of one of the pumps and Fred Brown in charge of the other. Two streams were carried from each of these pumps to the building and very soon it was determined that the facility steam engine should also be pressed into service. In charge of Carl Cokely it was located at the corner of North and Sandy streets and two additional streams were then furnished. The total amount of water which could thus be delivered at the fire was something more than two thousand gallons a minute.

Since the fire fighting continued for more than three hours it is easy to understand that a serious draft was made upon the city's already meagre water supply. As it was not possible to pump from the south end all the great quantity of water this used had to come from the west side reservoir, and without doubt the register reading there this morning will show the water lower than it has been for a number of weeks past. The firemen in handling these six streams of water were assisted by many volunteers. It was a very hard fire to fight as is always true of a building of that general type of construction, with heavy brick walls and tin roof.

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the vice president of twenty six wholesale grocery houses.

Some months ago because of the growing business of the firm and to add to the convenience in the distribution of goods the branch was opened at Beardstown. The stock carried there is not as large as in the company's plant here but is practically as varied and so in the present emergency can be drawn on for the distribution of goods all thru the territory served by the company.

Stocks are Ruined

At 12 o'clock the firemen were still throwing a number of streams into the seething wreckage and it was apparent that the northeast part of the building had been saved and a part of the southeast addition. The stock of flour and sugar in the southeast part of the building however, was practically ruined by the immense amount of water that was used. The coffee in the northeast department of the building was probably not damaged and as an order is on file for the shipment of a car load it can probably be sent out as soon as the fire loss has been adjusted.

While the loss of property is very considerable it is fortunate, indeed, that the fire was confined to this one building and that there were no property losses in the adjacent territory. About the only salvage from the wreckage in addition to the coffee will be canned goods. In some parts of the building the canned goods were altogether destroyed as was indicated by frequent explosions of cans subjected to intense heat, but in the southeast section of the building a considerable quantity of canned goods was saved altho damaged to some extent by water and the intense heat.

Electric Wiring Changed.

As so great a quantity of water was used from the city's limited supply for the fire, Supt. Gray of the Jacksonville Railway & Light Co. ordered street car service shut down at 9 o'clock and the lighting service except in the business district cut off at 11 o'clock. Another reason for cutting off the service was because of the danger lurking in the wires near the Jenkinson-Bode building. This power wire runs into the building from a pole at the southeast corner of Mauvaisterre and North streets and there was the danger that a falling wall might break the wire and thus leave the firemen and others exposed to the danger of a live wire. After the power had been leading into the burning building. This action was taken by Mr. Gray as a matter of precaution for the public and to save water.

Late last night Owen E. Franks, son of A. F. Franks, offered the Jenkinson-Bode company the use of the Franks cigar factory building at the corner of West street and North street. This building is spacious, with adequate office facilities and in all probability the offer will be accepted.

MEXICAN SMUGGLERS KILL AMERICAN SOLDIER

RIO GRANDE CITY, Texas, Jan. 10.—One American soldier, name unknown, died six hours after being wounded and two others sustained slight wounds in a fight with Mexican food smugglers near LaGrulla ranch, sixteen miles west of Rio Grande City, according to word received here today. The two wounded were taken to a hospital at McAllen. A report from Camargo, Mexico, opposite this place says one smuggler died of wounds received in the fight which is understood to have occurred last night after discovery by a border patrol of two Mexicans smuggling foodstuffs across the Rio Grande.

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SEWING FOR PASSAVANT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Edward W. Brown invites all friends of the hospital, at 1:30 today, to make quilts, which are needed at the hospital. Any one who can donate material will be much appreciated.

FRANK W. RANSON BUYS A DODGE CAR

Yesterday Babb & Gibbs sold a 5 passenger Dodge car to Frank W. Ranson, living southwest of the city, for early spring delivery.

TO HOLD JOINT INSTALLATION.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet this afternoon in G. A. R. hall on West Morgan street and this evening will hold a joint installation with the G. A. R. All members are urged to be present at both the afternoon and evening sessions.

WEST SIDE LADIES' ART CLUB

The West Side Ladies' Art club will meet this afternoon with Miss Robinson on Marion street, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Vires hostesses.

CHARGED WITH STEALING FREIGHT

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—William Nieman and John Woods of Quincy, indicted by the federal grand jury today on charges of stealing freight in interstate transit, later pleaded guilty before United States Judge J. Otis Humphrey.

Nieman was sentenced to four months in the McLean county jail and Woods was sentenced to a year and a day in Leavenworth prison.

CHICAGO STAGE COACH COMPANY LICENSED

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—A certificate of convenience and necessity was issued by the public utilities commission to the Chicago Stage Coach company today. The certificate is to be in effect as soon as the consent of certain park districts, thru which the line is to be operated, is obtained. Opposition was offered by the Chicago Motor Bus company.

C. W. MARTIN HELD RETIRING SALE

Well Known Farmer Sells Personal Property and Will Remove to Town—Sale Totaled Over \$5,000 and Good Prices Prevailed.

C. W. Martin held a public sale of personal property at his farm northwest of the city Thursday afternoon that was well attended. Everything offered brought good prices and the sale totaled over \$5,000. Mr. Martin expects to retire from active farming and will remove to Jacksonville in the near future to reside. His son will look after the active management of the farm.

Jed Cox was the auctioneer and A. E. Williamson acted as clerk. Lunch was served by the Ladies' Aid society of Ebenezer church and the ladies sold out everything and no doubt realized a goodly sum from their venture.

Some of the buyers and prices paid are given herewith:

Horses and mules—William Arnold purchased a three years old mule for \$222.50. He bought a yearling mule for \$172.50 and a suckling mule for \$77.50. A driving horse went to Dillon Bridgeman for \$130. Phillip Stanley bought a driving mare for \$75. A driving mare went to James Martin for \$167.50.

Hogs—Edward Stanley bought two sows at \$50 and \$52.50 per head. Mr. Colton paid \$65 for a sow and pigs. William Arnold bought two bunches of gilts, one at \$17 per head and one at \$27 per head.

Cattle—Andrew Harris bought a bunch of yearling steers at an average of \$90 per head. Cows sold from \$65 to \$125 per head. Spring and suckling calves sold well.

Timothy hay sold at 87 cents per bale. Clover hay brought 72 cents per bale. Farm implements brought good prices.

PELOUBETS SELECT NOTES

At Lane's Book Store.

INTERESTING SOUVENIRS

H. D. Fernandes of King street has in his possession a number of illustrated postal cards which he values highly. One is a representation of the Lincoln home in Springfield as it was decorated the day of the great emancipator's funeral; one is Libby Prison and another of Old Fort Snelling.

CONGREGATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

A Congregational Brotherhood meeting will be held this evening. Lunch will be served at 6:30. If the parlors are cold the lecture room will be used. At 7:30 Mr. H. H. Bancroft will speak on the Illinois Centennial. The ladies are invited to hear Mr. Bancroft.

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